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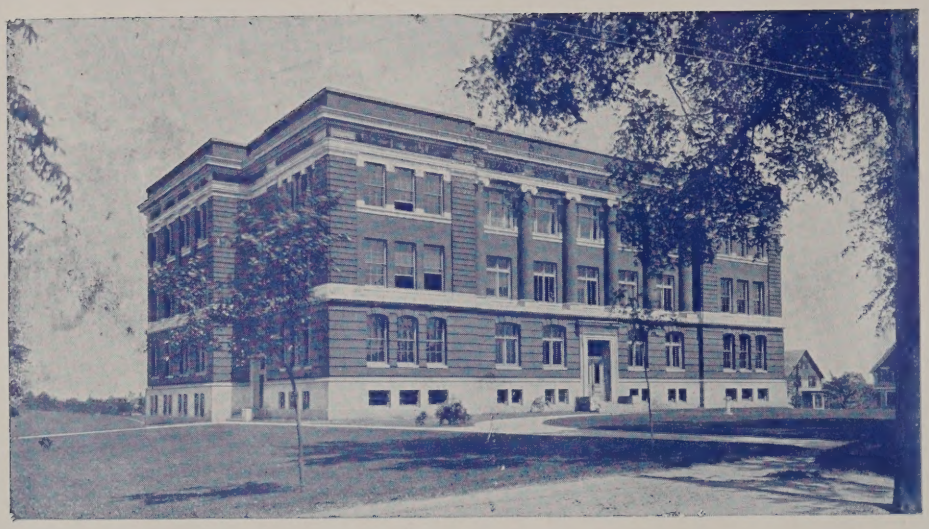

FOREWORD

In this issue of the Yearbook, we of the "Magnet" staff have tried to recapture some of the joys and achievements of our years in high school. This is a big task, and we could not have hoped to accomplish it unless we had the co-operation of every member of the Senior Class and of the faculty. We wish to express our gratitude to everyone who had anything to do with the publishing of this book. We especially wish to thank Miss Colley and Miss Gately whose untiring efforts have not gone unnoticed by the members of the staff.

DEDICATION

We, the Class of 1942, respectfully dedicate this, our Yearbook, to Miss Frances Lockey, whose unselfish devotion to her pupils will long be remembered by this and other classes of Leominster High School.

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Miss Marie Concordia, A.B.
Mr. Theodore Kucharski, A.B.
Miss Lucille Brown
Mr. Daniel Darney
Miss Gerda Johnson

MESSAGES

Who Is Indispensable

The cynic answers "No one". He is right of course but there's no getting away from the fact that the loss of some people is felt for a long time. A note of instruction put into the mail box of a top-notch teacher furnished the inspiration for this editorial. As the writer put that note in the mail box he said to himself, "There now, I can forget that". Does your boss say that when he tells you to do something? If he does, you are as near to being indispensable as any of us can hope to be. Executives like smart employees, yes. They like skilled workers of course. They expect them to get along well with other people. But the worker who stands head and shoulders above the others is the one to whom the boss can give an order and then forget it. Any foreman, office manager, or executive will tell you that he has to spend a tremendous amount of time just following up orders he has given. Dependability is not something which can be put on like a coat whenever you think there is need for it. It has to be a part of you like your skin. It has to be built into your character step by step, deed by deed. TODAY you are making the worker who will be kept on the job when the post-war depression begins. Little things like remembering to return make-up slips, report cards and warning cards go to make up your dependability just as surely as snowflakes make up a ski slope. You really mean to remember but you're just naturally absent-minded? BOSH!! If you really want to do a thing, do it now or write yourself a note about it. The mere act of writing helps you to fix the matter in your mind. Never be without a notebook and pencil. WRITE IT DOWN. Maybe you can't get on the honor roll but you can be more indispensable than many an honor graduate if your boss can give you an order and say, "There now, I can forget that."

D. S. D.

Our Resolve

The class of '42 has at last come to the end of its schooling in Leominster. We have been together too long to feel regret at finally parting, but yet, we are all eager to face the greater problems of life.

The pathway before this class is not too bright. The world situation is a mess, but we should be used to messes. We have had to face both depressions and war during our school days, with very little time between them. In spite of these and other troubles along the way, however, we have always cheerfully met each problem. If the difficulty was not overcome, the reason was never a lack of effort. Now, we face our greatest problem. The prospects are that this will be a long war in which most of us will eventually become involved in one way or another. We should remember always that the free institutions of this nation made possible our education.

Our class has had some failures. Because of our pre-occupation and lack of interest, a great many events which should have been successes were failures. However, it was proved time and time again that when the class made up its mind to put over something, that event was a success. It is regrettable that this co-operation was not forthcoming far more often.

With all the unhappiness behind and ahead of us, we are apt to forget our blessings. We had many. Our class was fortunate enough to have had fine teachers throughout our schooling. Their unselfish guidance and advice did much to increase our enjoyment within the classroom. We had, also, the opportunity of working while attending high school. This has given us the opportunity not only of gaining vocational training, but also of putting some of our school and social lessons into practice.

Now, we go out into the world. We have but one resolve; we will overcome everything which stands in the way of our country's welfare. If we hold to this high purpose, we must not, we will not, we shall not fail.

L. T. '42

GRADUATING CLASS

"Truth Is Freedom"

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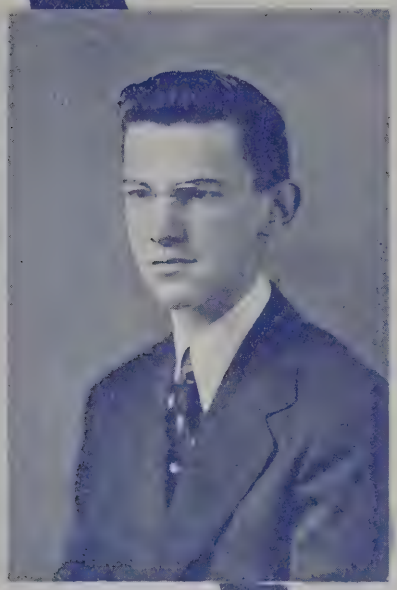

Bob Cormier

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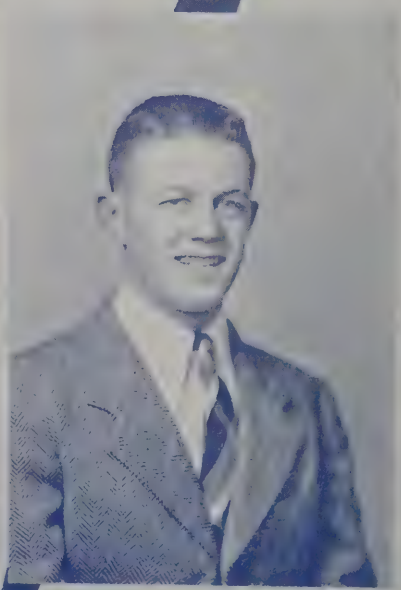


Dewey Cole

ROBERT E. CORMIER

"So great a poet and so good a friend."

Robert Edmund Cormier, or "Bob", as he is known to everyone, is the President of the Senior Class. His ambition is to take part in a vocation which will include public speaking or dramatics. In his three years of high school, Bob has belonged to the Speech Club, of which he was president for two consecutive years; he was a member of the Magnet Staff during his sophomore year and a member of the Press Club during his junior year. He also belonged to the newly formed Radio Club for a short while. Bob has taken an active part in all kinds of dramatics. In his sophomore year he was production manager of the pageant "Liberty and Union," and he was coach of the Sophomore Interclass Play. He acted in a Columbus play and was a member of the debating team. In his junior year, Bob had a part in the Interclass Play Contest and won an honorable mention for acting. He gave several monologues at various organizations in the city and the school. While a senior, Bob was adjudged the best actor of the evening for his work in the Interclass Play, "The Devil and Daniel Webster." He took part in a Christmas Play and had a part in recital night. He also gave monologues at various times. He had the leading part in a radio play given over station WORC in Worcester. During his years in high school, he has made the second and third honor rolls. He is studying a mixed course under a general heading. In his homeroom he has been secretary. His hobby is writing and his stories and poems have often appeared in the "Magnet." He plans to enter college next fall, but he is yet undecided. During the last few years he has been employed at the Endicott-Johnson Shoe Store. Outside of school, he belongs to the St. Jean Club.

ELIZABETH HENRIQUES

"I share her smiles with thee."

Elizabeth Henriques is known as "Libby" to most of her friends. During her three years in high school, she has been taking the Classical Course and has frequently made the Honor Roll. She has belonged to the French and Speech Clubs, and in her junior year, she was vice-president of the latter. She had a part in the prize-winning senior play in the Interclass Play Contest, "The Devil and Daniel Webster." When "Libby" was a sophomore and a junior, she played on the volley-ball team and also went out for tennis. The event which she enjoyed most was the Senior Prom. Outside of school, "Libby" has been working at the hospital on Saturday and Sunday afternoons. When she gets out of high school, she would like to be a medical secretary, but she is undecided as to what school she will attend. "Libby" is treasurer of her homeroom and vice-president of the Senior Class.

BARBARA H. LAVIN

"Can make a wintry sky seem bright as smiling May."

Barbara Helen Lavin, better known as "Barb", is a member of the Classical Course and has frequently made the Honor Roll. She plans to further her studies at Fitchburg Teacher's College. Her favorite sports are skiing, basketball and swimming. Barbara has entered many skiing competitions; she played basketball in her sophomore and junior years; and she swims frequently in the summer. Among the clubs to which she belongs are Ski Club, Art Club, French Club, and Magnet. She is an honorary member of the Fortnightly Club. Barb also belongs to Senior Girl Scouts and plans to be a councilor at Girl Scout Camp, this summer. Barbara was a member of the cast of "The Devil and Daniel Webster", the winning Interclass Play. Outside of school, Barb works in an accountant's office in Leominster. Barbara is vice-president of her homeroom, editor of Special Features in the "Magnet," treasurer of French Club, and treasurer of her class. Her most memorable experience, and the event she enjoyed most, was the Senior Prom.

C. DEWEY COLE

" 'Tis honor which you have bestowed."

Charles Dewey Cole or "Farmer," as he is called by his classmates, has taken the Classical Course for three years in addition to having made the Second Honor Roll each year. He won the United States History Prize in his junior year beside acting as usher at both the Reception and the Graduation. Dewey played varsity football two years and track three years. Also he competed in Interclass track and basketball three years. He founded the Stamp Club and acted as president for two years: also he has been a member of the French Club for two years. His hobby is stamp collecting. Outside activities include scoutmaster of Troop 12, "farm chores" and horseback riding. According to a recent article in the *Boston Herald* he arises at 5 A.M., milks ten cows and walks four miles to school. His favorite outside sports are bobsledding and swimming. He is a registered Senior Life Saver. Next autumn he plans to enter college, but if things don't function he will join the Army Air Corps.

PAUL K. ALGIER

"In his duty prompt at every call."

Paul has a yearning to be a machinist at some arsenal or shop. He has been a member of the Bowling Club, in which he has taken an active part. Paul has studied in the General Course. He was chairman of his junior home room and took part in many sports, including Track, 3, Tennis and football 2. His hobby is collecting autographs of famous band leaders and singers. Paul has seen many bands, including Jimmy Dorsey's, Glen Gray's, Gene Krupa's and Frankie Masters'. Paul has worked for the Postal Telegraph and for Ames' Butter Store; he is now employed at the Colonial Press in Clinton. His favorite sports are football, track, skiing and bowling; he is also interested in weight lifting and is now a member of the Fitchburg Y's Weight Lifting Club. Paul found his most valuable subjects to be Physics, English, and Public Speaking.

RICHARD J. ALTOBELLI

"E'en though vanquished, he could argue still."

Richard is better known to his friends by his nickname of "Professor Basil." Throughout his three years of high school he has pursued the Commercial Course. In his three years at the high school he has been a member of the stamp club, the book club, and the choral group. In his Senior year he was elected Cabinet representative for his homeroom. He was in the cast of the Sophomore Play, and was an usher at graduation exercises in 1941. His name has appeared consistently on the second Honor Roll for the last two years. Reading is his special hobby, with the collection of aviation material coming second. His greatest ambition is to fly a pursuit ship for the Navy. It appears that the subjects of most value to him are Modern European History and Economics. He plans to go to college and become a teacher.

ANNE J. AMOROSI

"Then Anne comes in, The pride of her kin."

In high school, Anne has pursued the Commercial Course. She has been an active member of the Speech Club, and of the Art Club. She was elected vice-president of her Senior homeroom and has been an honor roll student throughout her three years of high school. She participated in the Sophomore Pageant "Liberty and Union" and also in a publicity sketch advertising the Interclass Play Contest. She was a member of the hockey and basketball teams, and in her sophomore year she received her numerals in hockey. She has also been on Prom Committees, such as the Decoration Committee for the Junior Prom and the Music Committee for the Senior Prom. She was also an usher on Parent's Night. After graduation, Anne plans to enter the University of Ohio.

JEROLYN D. APPLETON

"Her smile is as the evening mild."

"Jerry", as Jerolyn is called by her friends, has studied the Commercial Course and has made the Honor Roll throughout high school. Bookkeeping is the subject that appealed to her most. For two years she has belonged to the Girls' Glee Club and appeared in the Joint Concerts. She joined the Press Club in her junior year. During lunch recess, she has been cashier for the Girls' Lunch Counter for two years. She was honorary Junior Member of the Fortnightly Club. Although she doesn't take an active interest in sports, she enjoys watching football and basketball games. Music and sewing are her interests outside of school. "Jerry" plans to have a business career and would like to attend a business college after graduation.

MARY T. ASHE

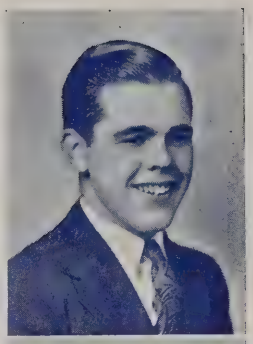
"Beauty draws us with a single hair."

Mary Ashe, better known by her friends as "Teps", has been studying the Commercial Course throughout her high school years. During these past three years Mary has taken active part in The International Friendship League '40, Girls' Glee Club '40, '41, Speech Club '41, 42, Press Club '41, Fitchburg and Leominster Joint Concerts '40, '41, Tennis Club '41, Prom Ticket Committee '41, Prom Refreshment Committee '41, '42, and in assemblies presented at school. Mary finds great enjoyment in skiing, tennis and swimming. Her ambition is to become a stenographer or a dietician.

A. JOHN ASHTON

"Nae ither care in life have I."

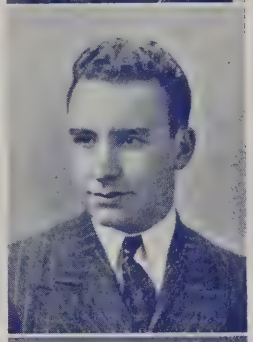
John Ashton is known to his friends as Johnny. In his Senior year he belonged to the Speech Club. During his junior year he took part in the play "Alison's Lad." While studying the General Course, he also took two years of C. M. T. C. training in the infantry at Fort Devens and the cavalry at Fort Ethan Allen. While he was there he won marksman and sharpshooting medals. John's hobby is collecting guns, preferably pistols. He spends most of his spare time hunting and target shooting. John is a member of the Leominster Chapter of De Molay. He is now taking a course sponsored by the Elks so that he may enlist as a flying cadet when he graduates.



NORMAN BASQUE

"Truth from his lips prevailed with double sway."

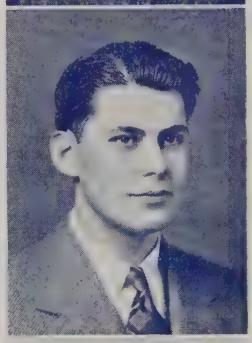
Throughout his three years of high school Norman has pursued the Commercial Course with a few Classical subjects included. He is better known to his friends as "Norm." His activities in school have included football, interclass basketball, and interclass hockey. His favorite sports are hockey and football. His hobby is collecting pictures of military planes. During his leisure moments he likes to read and hike. Outside of school Norm is very active. He is a member of the St. Jean's Club. He was scoutmaster of Troop 11 for more than a year. After school he works in the machine shop of the Commonwealth Plastic Co. His main ambition is to become a tool and die maker.



ROBERT E. BEAUREGARD

"A man whose judgment clear Can others teach the course to steer."

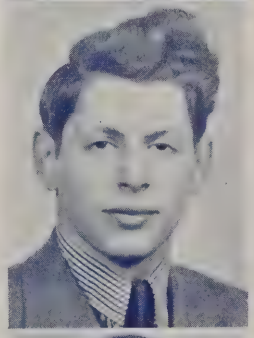
Robert Eugene Beauregard, "Bob" to most, wants most of all to be a real success in his future vocation. In his sophomore year he belonged to orchestra, band, cabinet, "Magnet"; in his junior year the same with the addition of the Radio Club; Senior year, band, French Club, Choral Club, "Magnet", Ski Club. Club; Senior year, band, French Club, Choral Club, "Magnet", Ski Club. However, he has not been very active in dramatics, appearing but once, during his sophomore year, in "Liberty and Union". In sports, he has taken part only in skiing in his Senior year; however, he enjoys football and basketball. He has not missed the Honor Roll in his high school years, having appeared on the second and first. Bob has been studying in the Classical Course. Mathematics and Science are the subjects he found of most value. In his sophomore and junior years, he was honored by being elected representative, and in his senior year, chairman of his homeroom. After high school, Bob plans to attend a teachers' college either in Fitchburg or Worcester. For hobbies Bob enjoys music, magic, skiing, fishing, and hiking. While in school, he has worked at a First National Super Market. Outside of school, Bob is a member of two dance orchestras, Thad Bell's and Frankie Dee's.



VINCENT M. BILOTTA

"His humor creates him no enemies."

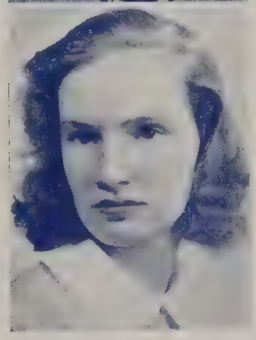
Vincent Michele Bilotta Jr., for short, is called "J. B." His greatest ambition is to become a missionary priest. He has belonged to the following clubs: bowling 2, 3, 4; Magnet 2, 3 and half of 4. He participated in "The Devil and Daniel Webster," in 4. During his three years in high school he has taken part in the following sports: football 3; track 2, 3, 4; interclass hockey 2, 3; interclass basketball 2, 3, 4; interclass football 4; bowling 2, 3, 4. He has taken one year in the General Course and two years in the Classical Course. He was elected to the cabinet in 4. He plans to enter The Imaculate Conception Seminary in New Jersey and further his studies in Rome, Italy, after the war. His hobby is developing photographs. He has worked at the Recreation Bowling Alleys. Among his favorite sports are deep sea fishing, swimming, hiking, skating, track and bowling. He belongs to the Comets A. A. His most memorable experience was the Senior Prom in 1941.



CONSTANCE BIRD

"She is cheerful, gay, and hearty."

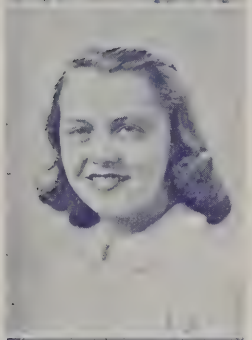
Connie, as she is known to all her friends and teachers, has been an active member of the International Club during her three years at Leominster High School. While in her sophomore year, she was elected vice-president of the club, and in her Senior year she was elected president. An Honor Roll student, she has followed the Classical Course of study. Both in her junior and sophomore years she was secretary of her homeroom. Among other things Connie ushered at the Parent's Night Program and also at the Thanksgiving game during her senior year. She also was selected as one of the student coaches in the Senior Class Play. Her favorite sport is football. She also enjoys dancing.



ALBA R. BISCEGLIA

"Her voice is like the evening thrush."

Alba, who is known to her friends as "Al," has pursued the Commercial Course throughout her three years in the Leominster High School. In her sophomore year she was a member of the International Friendship Club. She has also been a member of the Glee Club and Choral Club during her three years here and has sung in the Fitchburg-Leominster Joint Concert, both here and in Fitchburg. As a Sophomore she took an active part in the Sophomore Pageant. Outside of school, Alba is a member of the Sons of Italy Junior Girls' Lodge and a member of the junior choir of St. Anne's Church. Swimming and basketball are her favorite sports. Her hobbies include playing the piano, dancing, and listening to classical music, as well as popular music. Her ambition is to become a stenographer.



EVELYNE G. BLANCHARD

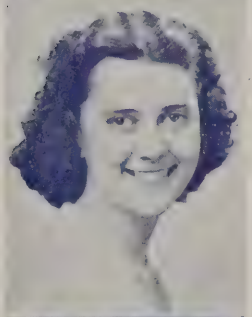
"Her looks are like the sportive lamb."

During her high school career, Evelyne has studied both the Commercial and General Courses. In her junior year she was a member of the newly formed Biology Club, and in her senior year she was a member of the International Friendship League and the Girls' Glee Club. She has also had her name on the Second Honor Roll. With the Glee Club she has participated in various programs, such as Parent's Night, the Mayor's Inaugural Exercises, and the Annual Joint Concert of Musical Organizations of Fitchburg and Leominster High Schools. Evelyne was also on the Decoration Committee for the Junior and Senior Proms. She ushered at the Fitchburg and Leominster football game last November. Evelyne's hobby is collecting post cards from various places she has visited. Her favorite sports are swimming and hiking, and she likes football games. When she graduates, she expects to enter the Wellesley Convalescent Home for Children to become a governess. Evelyne's greatest ambition is to travel.

CECILE R. BOLDUC

"Her forehead's like the showery bow."

Although Cecile does not like to answer to the name of "Sis", she is known by that name to many of her friends. In her sophomore year she was a member of the Speech Club and took part in the Sophomore Pageant. Between typing for the Press Club and being a member of the Speech Club, Cecile was kept busy in her junior year. A member of the Commercial Course, she has always considered typing the subject of most value to her. Her favorite sports are roller-skating, tennis, and horse-back riding. Cecile likes to take scenery pictures and keep them as souvenirs. She has consistently been an Honor Roll student. Because she is conscientious and ambitious, she is likely to succeed in anything she sets out to do.



LORRAINE M. BONIN

"Fair tresses man's imperial race ensnare."

Throughout her high school career, Lorraine has taken the Commercial Course. Bookkeeping is her favorite subject. She was an usher at the Sophomore Pageant, and also a member of both Junior and Senior Prom Committees. During her junior year she was a member of the Glee Club and the Press Club. Her name has appeared on the Honor Roll. Her hobby is keeping a scrapbook of beautiful scenes. Her favorite sport is tennis. During her last two years in school, she has been employed by the F. W. Woolworth Company. Her ambition is to own a little dress shop. When she gets out of school she would like very much to start her business career in some local office.

WILLIAM BONVILLE

"For many a joke had he."

"Bonie" wants to be, above all, the pilot of his own plane. He was in the Boys' Glee Club in his sophomore and senior years, the Speech Club in his sophomore year, and the Choral Club as a senior. As a sophomore he took part in a patriotic play given by the Speech Club, and as a junior he played in the Public Speaking Class play, "Allison's Lad." He was on the track squad as a sophomore. Bill took the Commercial Course as a sophomore but changed to General Curriculum in the later years. His name has been seen often on the Second and Third Honor Rolls. On graduating he plans to become a master machinist. His hobby is collecting aviation facts, figures, and photos. During his senior year he was employed in the shipping room of the New England Novelty. His favorite sports are hiking and skiing. The subject of most value to him was Physics.

GLADYS A. BOUVIER

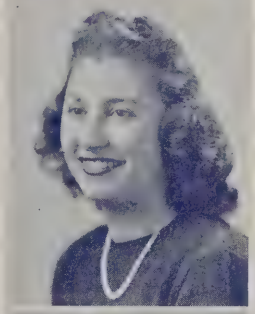
"Her lips are like the cherries ripe."

Gladys is known to most of her friends as "Gladdy". During her three years in high school, she has pursued the Commercial Course, and her ambition is to do secretarial work. Gladys has been a member of the Sports Club and of the Art Club, of which she is secretary and treasurer. She has held membership in the Glee Club and the Choral Group 4. She is an ardent sports-fan, having taken part in basketball and field hockey last year. Her name has appeared frequently on the Honor Roll. She has done typing for the "Magnet." Her favorite pastimes are drawing and collecting poems. The sports which she enjoys the most are swimming and ice skating. She was on the Decoration Committee for the Junior and Senior Proms. Gladys also took part in the Joint Concert. The subject which she considered the most valuable is typing.

MARILYN G. BROTHEIM

"Her air like Nature's vernal smile."

Marilyn is better known to the students of Leominster High School as "Brothie." She entered L. H. S. at the beginning of her junior year. She belonged to the Speech Club in her senior year. During that year she took part in the Senior production in the Interclass Play contest. Marilyn is taking the Commercial Course but plans after high school to attend a preparatory school and then to go to a school of journalism. In her senior year Marilyn won second prize in the Better Speech Contest, the annual event of Parents' Night. Basketball and football are her favorite sports. Her favorite pastime is reading and going to the movies. Some day she hopes to be a star journalist on some large newspaper.



BEATRICE E. BROWN

"The sweetest and best of them all."

Beatrice is called "Betty" by everyone. Throughout her three years in high school she has taken the Commercial Course. Her ambition is to become a private secretary to the president of a large concern. She has had considerable business experience working in the office of the Northern Chair Company. She has been a member of the Bowling Club, Magnet, and Sports Club and has participated in field hockey, basketball, volley ball, and softball. Her favorite sport is basketball. Betty has made either the first or second Honor Roll every term. Her hobbies are collecting band leaders' autographs and learning the newest dance steps. She was the vice-president of her homeroom in her sophomore and junior years and the homeroom secretary in her senior year. Betty has worked part-time in Newberry's during her senior year. The subject that was most helpful to her was shorthand. Betty thinks the event she enjoyed most was the dancing in the gym.

MYRTLE M. BROWN

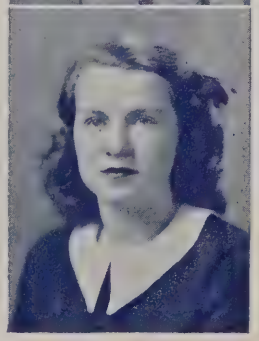
"Her reputation is complete, And fair without a flaw."

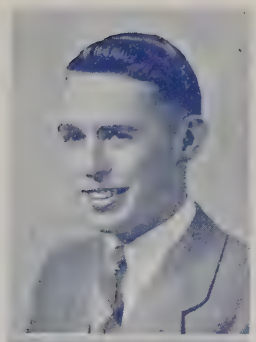
Myrtle, who is known to many of her friends as "Lover," has taken the Commercial Course during her three years in high school. She was a member of the Sports Club in her sophomore year. In her junior and senior years she worked in the cafeteria waiting on pupils during luncheon periods and helping Mrs. Joyce prepare meals during her study periods. She was on the Entertainment Committee for the Junior Prom in her Junior year and on the Decorating Committee for the Senior Prom in her Senior year. Myrtle likes ice skating, swimming, and roller skating, sports which she has taken up enthusiastically during her senior year. After graduation, Myrtle hopes to get a job as a typist in an office.

E. BEVERLY BUCK

"I gazed with pleasure on a happy face."

Beverly Buck, usually called Bev, has been at L. H. S. for three years. During her high school days, she has been studying the Classical Course and has made the Second Honor Roll. As a sophomore and junior, Bev was a member of the Speech Club, through which she participated in plays and assemblies. During her senior year, she joined the Girls' Glee Club and was chosen as a Junior Fortnightly member. Bev's hobbies are collecting miniature elephants and playing the piano. Her favorite sport is swimming. Bev has many activities in Sterling where she is president of the Y. P. R. U. of the Unitarian Church. She has chosen to enter the profession of nursing after graduation.





DONALD L. CAMPBELL

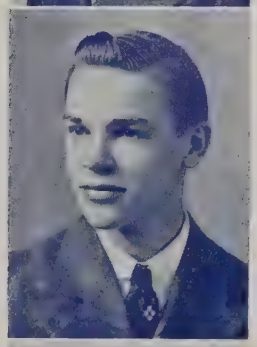
"The man of independent mind, He looks and laughs at a' that."

"Don", as he is called by his classmates, took the Classical Course for three years. He has been a member of the "Magnet" staff for three years and sports editor for two years. In his junior year he was a member of the winning play of the Interclass Play Contest. He was also in the Interclass Play Contest in his sophomore year. His most memorable experience while in high school was the Drama Festival at Fitchburg, in which he took part during his junior year. His hobby is rifle-shooting and his favorite sports are swimming and hunting. He took part in the Homeroom Basketball Tournament in his junior years. Outside of school he is an Eagle Scout and a leader in Troop 2 of St. Mark's Church. He also has passed the Red Cross Senior Life-saving requirements. After graduation he would like to become a Flying Cadet in the Army Air Corps.

GEORGE CARCHIDI

"The dancing pair that simply sought renown."

George Carchidi, better known by his class mates as "Gus", has pursued the Commercial Course during his three years of high school. In his sophomore year he made the Honor Roll and took part in the Sophomore Pageant. In his junior year, "Gus" was chosen one of the cheerleaders, and he held this position for two years. At the present time George is working in the First National Stores as a clerk. In his senior year, George took part in the Interclass Play, "The Devil and Daniel Webster". Gus's favorite pastime is dancing, and his favorite sports are football and basketball. Next year he plans to further his studies in Business Administration.



HOWARD CAREY

"Worth makes the man."

Howard Carey, better known to some as "Howie", is taking the General Course. During his sophomore and junior years he took part in interclass track and basketball. The past summer he was employed at Newton's Dairy. He is taking a machinist course at the vocational school and hopes to get a job doing defense work. His favorite sports are hunting and fishing. His future ambition is to become a postal clerk.

MARJORIE H. CARTER

"Could swell the soul to rage, or kindle soft desire."

Marjorie is better known to her friends as "Midge". Throughout her three years she has taken the Commercial Course. She has participated in different sports, including volleyball, softball, and hockey. During her sophomore year she was a member of the volleyball team and in her junior year she was a member of the bowling team. Marjorie's favorite pastime is reading, which she enjoys very much. She is often seen ice skating and roller skating, which are her two favorite sports. She has found typewriting not only her most interesting but also her most valuable subject, since she expects to make use of it after leaving school. Her plans for the future are uncertain, but she hopes to secure a position as a secretary in some office.

DELVINA CASACCA

"Her face is fair, her heart is true, as spotless as she's bonny."

Delvina, better known to her friends as "Delvey", has taken the Commercial Course during her three years of high school. Her name appears regularly on the Honor Roll. She has participated in many extra-curricular activities. She was a member of the Speech Club, Magnet and the Sports Club in her sophomore year. In her junior year she was a member of the Speech Club, Magnet, and the Bowling Club. She has ushered at various school events. In her senior year she was a member of the Student Cabinet, Assistant Business Manager of the "Magnet," and a member of the Speech Club. She has served on the Reception Committee for both Senior and Junior Proms. She has participated in the sports of hockey and basketball. Outside of school she belongs to the Sons of Italy, Girls' Junior Lodge, of which she is now treasurer; she is also an honorary member of the Junior Fortnightly Club. She is particularly fond of football, basketball and ice skating. After school she works as a bookkeeper, and she hopes to further her education along that line, but her plans are incomplete as yet.

LOUISE A. CHASE

"Her love was sought, I do aver."

Louise, or "Chip" as everyone calls her, took the Classical Course for the first two years of her high school career. In her senior year she studied Commercial subjects in anticipation of entering the business world. In her sophomore year she was an honorary member of the Book Club. In her junior year she joined the Press Club and was elected junior-editor, also belonging to the Book Club, French Club, and C.M.I.P.A. In her last year "Chip" acted as secretary of the French Club, editor-in-chief of the Press Club, and member of the C.M.I.P.A. "Chip's" name has appeared on the Honor Roll every year. In addition to her membership in clubs, she was vice-president of the Sophomore Class, member of the Junior Library Council for three years, acting as chairman in her senior year, and was on the Prom Committees every year. "Chip" also acted as general secretarial assistant for the Senior Class Play. Outside activities include being a member of the Young People's Religious Union of the Unitarian Church, and also belonging to the Junior Choir. Writing letters, day dreaming, hiking, and reading as well as doing clerical work in a local office, and working in a dress shop, take up most of her spare time. "Chip's" ambition is to make the most of her education.

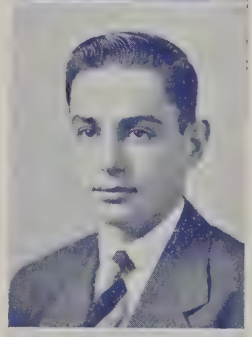
BERNICE J. CHESBROUGH

"Of manners gentle, of affections mild."

Bernice is known to her friends by the nickname of "Bee." During her three years in Leominster Senior High, Bernice has taken the Commercial Course. In her sophomore year she was a member of the hockey team. Since then she has kept busy, working after school. During her senior year she has been working at the New England Novelty Co. During her sophomore year she was a member of the Outdoor Sports Club. In her junior year she was secretary and treasurer of the Biology Club, while in her senior year she was a member of the International Club. As a sophomore she ushered at the pageant, "Liberty and Union." She was a member of the Junior and Senior Prom Committees. Bernice has an interesting hobby of collecting salt and pepper shakers. Her favorite sport is roller skating. Her greatest ambition is to be a hairdresser.

ANTHONY CHIURRI

"He's armed without, that's innocent within."



Anthony, better known as "Tony" by his friends, has pursued the General Course for the past three years. He has been an active member of the Highway Safety Club and was on the Junior and Senior Prom Committees. In his leisure time he likes to drive and listen to the radio. His hobby is building model airplanes. Tony has risen at five o'clock every morning for the past three years, to deliver milk. He also works after school. After graduation he plans to enter Luscombe School of Aeronautics and later to enlist in the United States Air Corps.

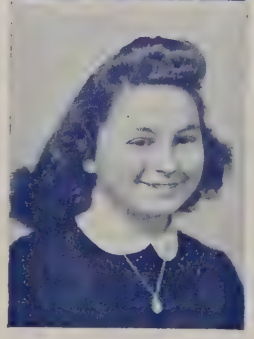
DORIS M. COLLETTE

"To every nobler virtue bred, And polished grace."

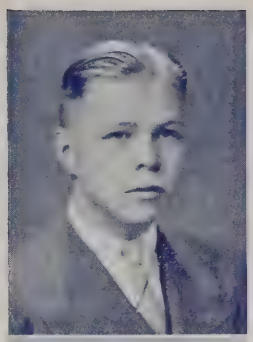
Doris has been enrolled in the Commercial Course during her entire three years. Her favorite sport is bicycle riding. English and History are her favorite subjects. She spends most of her time drawing, and reading; however, working after school has taken up much of her time. She has been on the Honor Roll for the past three years. She belonged to the Book Club when a Junior and to the Speech Club when a Senior. She was on the Publicity Committee for the Interclass Play Contest during her Sophomore, Junior, and Senior years. She belongs to the Fortnightly Club, enjoying an honorary membership. Doris hopes to work in an office after school, and her greatest ambition is to be a success at her job.

RITA Y. COMEAU

"She talked to me with smiles."



Rita, who is called "Frenchy" by some of her friends, has pursued the Commercial Course throughout her three years in high school. Her favorite subjects, as well as her most valuable ones, were shorthand and typing. During her three years in high school, she has made the Honor Roll. In her Senior year Rita was a member of the Speech Club. She was on the Refreshment Committee for the Senior Prom. Outside of school she belongs to the St. Jean's Society. During part of her junior year and all during her senior year, Rita worked at Frye's Ice Cream Parlor. Her favorite sports are roller skating and ice skating. As a hobby, Rita collects pennies. Her one ambition is to become an efficient secretary.



RUSSELL R. COOK

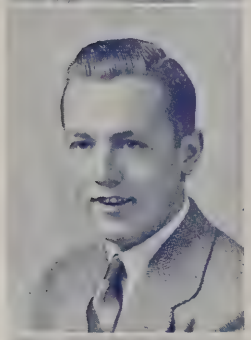
"The gentleman in word and deed."

"Russ" or "Cookie," as he is better known, has taken the Classical Course throughout his three years in high school. He has been president of the Stamp Club, member of the Bowling Club, of which he has the record single string 144 and three string total 351. He has also taken part in the Sophomore Pageant, joint concerts, brass ensemble and quartet. He is librarian in the band, in which he has been a trumpet player for five years, having played while he was in junior high. "Cookie" was usher at both the Graduation and Reception and was on the Prom Committees in his junior and senior years. His hobby is stamp collecting, and he specializes in unused United States stamps. Outside of school he is treasurer of the Y.P.F. at St. Mark's Church, holder of the Blue Honor Key, and Past Master Councilor of Leominster Chapter, Order of DeMolay. "Russ" has worked with Civil Engineer William P. Ray the past two summers.

RUTH E. COSSEBOOM

"She's spotless as the flowering thorn."

Ruth, better known to her friends as "Ruthy," has taken the Commercial Course during her three years in high school. She was an usher at the Sophomore Pageant "Liberty and Union." In her junior year she was a member of the art club and head typist of the Press Club. She was a member of the Art Club and of the Glee Club, and was senior assistant editor of the Press Club in her senior year. She was on the Decoration Committee for both the Junior and Senior Proms. Her name has appeared on the Honor Roll every year. As a hobby, "Ruthy" saves pictures of movie stars and clippings that have to do with school events. She has had some experience working in various offices. She enjoys all sports, but swimming is her favorite. Upon graduation she would like to become a private secretary.



KENNETH J. CUMMINGS

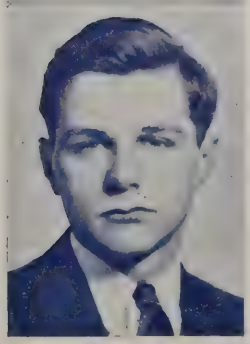
"In wit a man; simplicity, a child."

Kenneth James Cummings Jr., for short is called Bert. His greatest ambition is to become a successful business man. In his sophomore year he helped backstage for the successful play "Liberty and Union." During his three years he has taken part in interclass basketball 2, 3, 4; baseball 2, 3, 4; track 4. When he entered the high school, he started out with the Commercial Course; later he transferred to the General. Ken plans to attend Cushing Academy when he ends high school. Among other things he has served on the Traffic Committee. His hobbies are collecting baseball and bandleaders' pictures. Kenneth worked on a farm, and, later, in the First National Store. His favorite sports are baseball and football. Outside of school Kenneth is a member of the Comets A. A. His most memorable experience was taking part in the class fight of '41. Kenneth thinks that Human Relations is the most important subject to him.

IRENE J. CUNNINGHAM

"I am now well known."

Irene, who is nicknamed "Rennie" by her classmates, has studied the Commercial Course throughout her three years in school. Her greatest ambition is to become a secretary. For three years she has participated in activities of the Speech Club. In her first year in this school, she had a part in the pageant "Liberty and Union." Her hobbies are numerous; she enjoys collecting a variety of colorful handkerchiefs. She also has another collection — menus from the dining places she has visited. While in high school she was employed by the W. T. Grant Co. Her favorite sports are swimming and skating. She also enjoys watching football games. Outside of school, she is a member of the Y.P.R.U. The subject she has most valued throughout her high school career is English. She is undecided what she will do after school is out.



JOHN J. CURLEY

"His best companions, innocence and health."

John Curley, or to most of the students of Leominster High School, "Doc" or "Curl," is pursuing the Classical Course. He was rather active in sports during the three years at high school, playing football three years and receiving two letters for playing this sport, plus two letters in baseball and one in basketball. Between these regular school sports, he found time to take part in the inter-mural hockey league formed at the high school. Of all these sports, football is his favorite, with hockey a close second. Next year he plans to enter a prep school, but he has not, as yet, decided which one is preferable. On most Saturdays you can find him working in Brockleman's Market, either on the meat or vegetable counter. "Curl" in his sophomore year was president of his home room, and a member of the student cabinet. In his junior year he was elected president of his class. "Curl's" most memorable experience in his three years at high school was the Senior Prom.

GRACE CURRY

"And she's two glancing, sparkling eyes."

Grace Laura Curry, better known as "Maizie" or "Twinkie" by her friends, has taken the General Course for the past three years. She was a member of the Sports Club in her sophomore year and of the Biology Club in her junior year; she was also on the Junior and Senior Prom Committees. Her hobby is collecting buttons and ear rings of all kinds. For the past few years Grace has been an employee of the Commonwealth Plastic Co. and E. B. Kingmen's. Her favorite sports are swimming and dancing. After graduation she plans to enter the Leominster Hospital as a student nurse.

CONCETTA M. DANDINI

"She strove the neighborhood to please."

Concetta, better known as "Connie," has taken the Commercial Course. She has been on the Honor Roll every year. During her sophomore year she had the leading role in the pageant "Liberty and Union." Concetta was an active member of Speech Club and Press Club. Outside of school she is Venerable in the Sons of Italy Girls' Junior Lodge. After school hours she is employed in an office. Her ambition is to become a private secretary. She enjoys all outdoor sports, especially swimming and skating. Her hobby is reading about famous people. She was on the Music Committee for the Senior Prom. As yet she has no plans for the future, but she hopes to enter a business school.

KATHLEEN M. DARCY

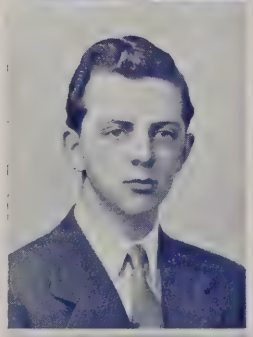
"Charms strike the sight, but merit wins the soul."

Kathleen, or "Kay" as everyone calls her, has taken the Commercial Course during her three years in Leominster High School. Her activities in school have included membership in the Speech Club and the Biology Club. During her junior year she played hockey, basketball, and volley ball and became a member of the newly-formed Tennis Club. Kay served on both Junior and Senior Prom Committees. While in her junior year she acted as usher at the Senior Reception and also at the Interclass Play Contest. Her favorite sports include swimming, skating, bowling, and dancing. After graduation Kay expects to enter Burdett College. Her ambition is to become an executive secretary.

RICHARD DE CAROLIS

"His pity gave ere charity began."

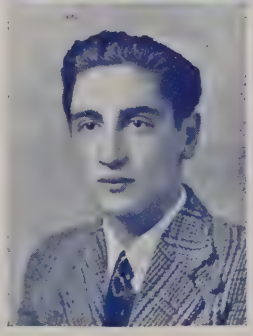
Richard De Carolis is known to all his friends as Dick. He has been taking the General Course during his senior year. His favorite subject is History. He is a member of the Speech Club, and ushered at the Graduation Reception of the Class of '41. Dick was very active in interclass hockey 1, 2, and basketball 1, 2, 3; and he managed the football team 1, 2. Outside of school, Dick belongs to the Comet A. A. and is a very active member of the basketball team. He works after school at the Lubin Clothing Company, and expects to take up salesmanship and advertising when he is graduated.

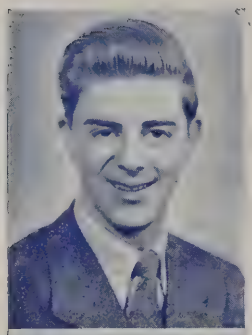


FRANK DEL GUIDICE

"E'en his failings leaned to virtue's side."

Frankie, in his three years at the Leominster High School, has taken the Classical Course. His favorite sports are swimming, hockey, and football. A hobby that he actively enjoys is collecting recordings of famous swing bands. The subject he enjoyed most was Latin, which he has studied for four years. The events he enjoyed were the weekly sings, in which he participated with enthusiasm.





JOHN F. DE LIBERO

"An unerring standard of taste."

John Francis De Libero, for short, is called "Delib." His greatest ambitions are to be a landscape artist and a great musician. He belonged to the band in his sophomore year. His greatest triumph came when he was awarded the part of Benjamin Franklin in the Sophomore Pageant of 1940. He has taken the General Course for three years. He plans to enter the Boston Conservatory of Music and a school for landscaping. He has worked in the tardy office. His hobbies are playing in an orchestra, and photography. During high school he has worked at the Mutual Co-op Store. His favorite sports are swimming, fishing, hunting, skiing, pool, hiking. He belongs to the Cozy Couch Den. The most memorable experience he had was the Senior Reception of 1941. His favorite subject during his high school career was Chemistry.

RACHEL A. DELISLE

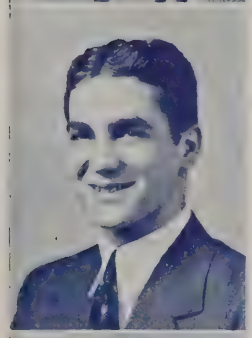
"Her hair is like the curling mist."

Rachel DeLisle's greatest ambition is to be a dental hygienist. She plans to go to Westbrook Junior College and then further her studies at Forsythe Dental School in Boston. Rachel has been a prominent member of the Magnet staff during all her three years in high school. In her senior year she was made circulation manager. She was also vice-president of the French Club and head typist for the Press Club. She has been a constant member of the Honor Roll. She ushered at Parent's Night Senior Reception, Junior and Senior Proms and worked in the office. She was also chosen cheer leader. Outside of school she was a member of the St. Cecile's Girls' Degree Team.

SAM DELLA CHIARE

"Those healthful sports that graced the peaceful scene."

Sam Della Chiare for short is called "Samma Della." His greatest ambition is to be a sports commentator. He took part in the Sophomore Pageant in 1939. He has taken part in baseball and basket ball. He went out for football but had to quit on account of his knee. He studied the General Course. During his sophomore year he was elected vice-chairman of Room 13. He plans to enter Worcester Trade School after graduation. His favorite hobby is to collect pictures of all sports. During high school he worked in the bowling alleys. His favorite sports are baseball, basketball, and football. His most memorable experience while in high school was the class fight. His favorite subjects are English and Human Relations. The event that he enjoyed most was dancing in the gym after lunch.



FRANK S. DE PASQUALE

"He gained no title and he lost no friend."

Frank De Pasquale was born in Leominster on September 8, 1925. He is called "Frankie" by his friends. His greatest ambition is to become a state trooper. He was a member of Squad B in his sophomore year and a member of the varsity basketball team in his junior year. He has also achieved letters in baseball, and, in his senior year, a letter and sweater for football. He has made the second Honor Roll only once. In his sophomore year Frank was made class president. Frankie is also a member of the Leominster Carbarn Boys' Club. He is studying the General Course and hopes to enlist in the U. S. Navy after graduation. His hobbies include basketball, football, baseball, swimming, and skating. While in school he worked in the Standard Tool Company. He believes that Physics was of most value to him and the class fight the most enjoyable event of the year.

ARLENE C. DESMOND

"Her smile was like a summer morn."

Arlene is better known as "Dizzy." Throughout her three years in Leominster High School she has taken the Commercial Course. She has belonged to the Magnet, Sports Club and Bowling Club. Her activities in school included numerous sports; such as, basketball, field hockey, volley ball, softball, and bowling. Her favorite sport is basketball. She has made either first or second Honor Roll every term. Arlene's greatest ambition is to be a private secretary or a physical training instructor. Besides going to school, she is the bookkeeper for the Goodhue Printing Company and a waitress at the Boston Confectionary. She has bowled for other clubs beside the school. She is a member of the Fortnightly Club. The subjects which have been most beneficial to her are shorthand and typewriting. She liked taking dictation from Mr. Davis best of all.

BERNICE G. DIGIOVANNI

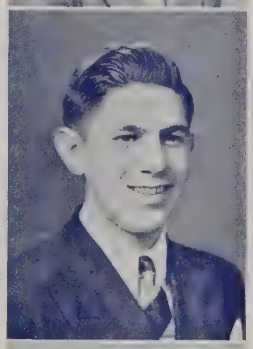
"In action faithful and in honour clear."

"Didge's" ambition is to become a laboratory technician. She has been a member of the Magnet Staff, Speech Club, and Art Club. In her sophomore year she was appointed one of the coaches for the patriotic play, "Liberty and Union." While in school she took part in basketball, volley ball, field hockey, bowling, and tennis. In the three years that she has been in high school her name has appeared on the Honor Roll. This year she has been studying Chemistry and Physics, two subjects which she enjoys very much. In her Senior year she was elected homeroom treasurer. Her favorite pastime is reading. If you go into Frye's you'll probably find her washing dishes. The sports she likes best are football and basketball. Of all the events in school there is one she'll never forget—the Sophomore Play, "Liberty and Union."

LIDIO DI NARDO

"He does nothing with sourness or obstinacy."

Lidio, better known as "Lid," has taken the Commercial Course throughout his three years in the Leominster High School. He has taken every commercial subject offered in order to be thoroughly trained for business. As a Sophomore he took active part in the pageant, "Liberty and Union." Since then he has not been able to take part in any other school activities because he could not find the time, especially during his senior year. His name appeared on the Honor Roll a number of times. Lid's favorite sports are swimming, baseball, football, hockey, and skiing. Outside of school he is a member of the Order of Sons of Italy Boys' Junior Lodge. Lid is experienced in many lines, having worked as bookkeeper, telegram boy, filling station attendant, clerk in a grocery store, and now errand boy at the Commonwealth Plastic Co. Most of his spare time is devoted to stamp collecting and building model airplanes. Lidio plans to take a Civil Service examination for a stenographer-typist position.



OLGA R. DINARDO

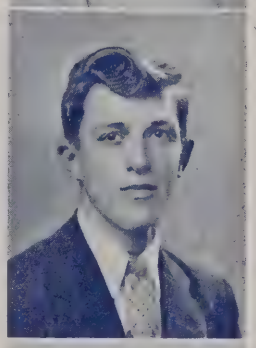
"To err is human, to forgive divine."

Olga, who is better known to her friends as "Dimples," has taken the Commercial Course. She was homeroom treasurer in her sophomore year. Her name has frequently appeared on the Honor Roll during her years at Leominster High School. In her sophomore year she was an usher for the Pageant "Union and Liberty." Olga served on Junior and Senior Prom Committees. Her favorite sports are "bike" riding, swimming, and softball. Her hobby is collecting various out-of-state post-cards. Olga is a member of the Leominster Girls' Junior Lodge. Her ambition is to become a good nurse. She plans to enter Leominster Hospital for training after graduation.

BRUNO V. DI PACE

"He broke no promise, serv'd no private end."

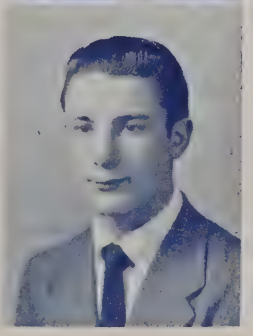
Bruno Di Pace, alias "Bru," has taken the General Course in his three years at the senior high school. His great ambition is to be a great doctor. He was a member of the Biology Club in his junior year. He participated in interclass basketball in his sophomore year. He took the National Defense course at the Leominster Trade School and is tending a lathe. He plans to work in a machine shop after graduating. His hobbies are taking long bicycling trips, raising the very best of homing pigeons, collecting old coins, and making airplane models. While in the high school he had a morning paper route and also worked at the Whitney Reed Co. His favorite sports are baseball, football, and boxing. The most valuable subjects to him were Physics and Chemistry.

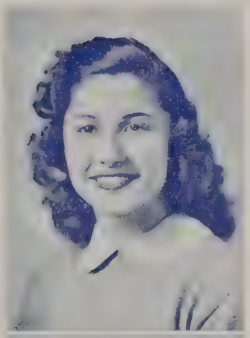


ELIO J. DIPAOLI

"He can't be wrong whose life is in the right."

Elio John DiPaoli for short is called "Cisco." His greatest ambition is to be a big businessman. He was a member of the cabinet in '41. In his sophomore year, he was in the Sophomore Play. He was also in the Senior Interclass play. He has been a candidate for football for three years. His first two years he took the Commercial Course, but he changed to the General Course. He has been chairman of senior homeroom 2. After he leaves school he plans to enter a downtown business. His hobby is reading short articles. He also participated in interclass sports. While in school he was an usher at the Metropolitan Theatre. Football and swimming are his favorite sports. Outside of school he is interested in community projects, such as helping the Red Cross and U. S. O. His most memorable experience was at the Sophomore Party where he first learned to dance. The most valuable subject to him was Economics. He enjoyed the night of the Junior Prom best of all.

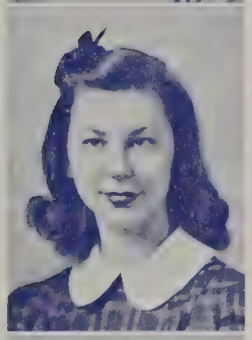




ROSY R. DIPILLO

"Beauteous Rose-bud, young and gay."

At the tender age of two months, Rosy Dipillo was christened Rosetta, and showered with two unusual middle names which she would rather keep hidden. Disliking her real name because of the variations in pronunciation and in spelling, she soon adopted the short nickname of Rosy. Rosy has been a member of the "Magnet" staff for three years, holding the duty of literary assistant and then of literary editor. During her high school career she studied the Classical Course, hoping to follow in the footsteps of Florence Nightingale. Her name has appeared on the Honor Roll every term for three years. She honestly believes that her two years of typing have been of most value to her because typing has helped her in her English and in her N. Y. A. work. Her most memorable experience occurred between November 27 and December 3. That was the period she spent in the hospital recovering from an appendectomy. To succeed in whatever work she undertakes is Rosy's greatest ambition.



HELYN B. DRESSLER

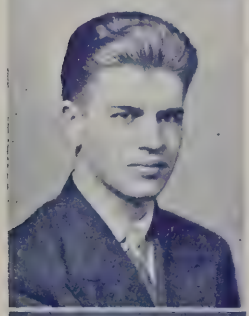
"She moves a goddess, and she looks a queen."

Helyn enrolled in Leominster High School in September, 1941. Previous to enrolling here, she attended high school in Sackets Harbor, New York. There Helyn participated in many plays. She was president of the Junior Class and the Dramatic Club, and editor of a column in the school paper. She was also a member of the Glee Club and the Red Cross Class. Listening to swing music is her favorite pastime. Football is her favorite sport. She likes to travel and hopes to go abroad some day. After high school, Helyn wants to be a bookkeeper for she thinks that bookkeeping has been the most valuable subject in her Commercial Course.

MARTHA A. DRESSLER

"The bashful virgin's sidelong looks.

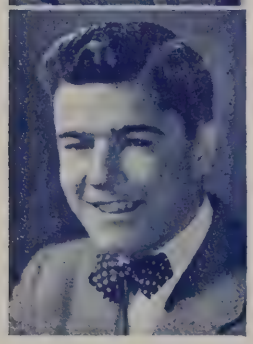
This was Martha's first year in Leominster High School. She entered September 1, 1941, after spending her sophomore and junior years in Sackets Harbor High in upperstate New York. There she belonged to the Dramatic Club, Glee Club, Staff of the school paper, and Red Cross Class, and took part in many of the plays. Martha took a Commercial Course and wants to be a bookkeeper, as that was the subject she most enjoyed in school. Her hobby is collecting pictures and autographs. She likes swing music, dancing, and horseback riding. Her favorite sport is football.



HENRY DUNWOODY

"The honest man . . . is king of men for a' that."

Henry Dunwoody, sometimes called "Hank," plans to enter Fitchburg Teachers' College next fall. He was a member of the Speech Club during his sophomore and senior years, and in this capacity was in three plays: "Too Much Ginger," "Dust of the Road" and "The Enchanted Wood." He also took part in the senior play, "The Devil and Daniel Webster," in the Interclass Play Contest. He has taken the Classical Course throughout high school, and his name appeared on the Second and Third Honor Rolls during his junior year. The subject that he enjoyed most and seemed to get the most out of was mathematics. During his senior year he put this into practice as cashier in the school cafeteria. Outside of School he was active during his senior year as treasurer of Leominster Chapter Order of DeMolay and president of the Methodist Youth Fellowship.



LAWRENCE G. EATON

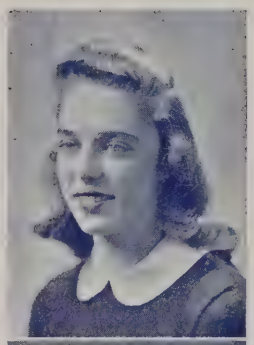
"Majestic in his own simplicity."

Lawrence's full name is Lawrence Gordon Eaton. He has a nickname, Blackie, which has been associated with him throughout his school career. His greatest ambition is to fly for the Army or Navy, preferably the Navy. He was an active member of the French Club during 1940. He has played football, baseball, and interclass hockey during the 1940-1941 seasons. During his sophomore and junior years he took the Classical Course; his senior year he enrolled in the General Course. His hobbies are drawing prominent sports figures and collecting pictures and banners of the bigger and better pictures that come to the Plymouth Theater. He has worked at Newton's Dairy and Brockelman's Market, and he is at present employed at the Plymouth Theater. His favorite sports are baseball, hockey, and football. He belongs to the Leominster Order of Demolay and the Leominster Redskins A. C. Getting four straight B's in first year College French and the Class fight of "41" are his two most memorable experiences at the high school. Law, Chemistry, and Human Relations are the subjects which are of the most value to Lawrence. During his senior year he was president of Room 6.

PAULINE E. EISNER

"And all the world would stare."

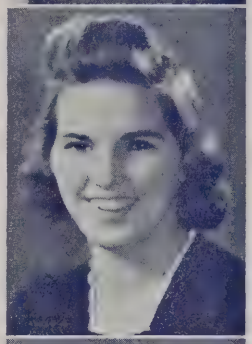
Pauline Eisner is nick-named "Polly" by all her friends. Her greatest ambition in life is to become a designer after she graduates from the New England School of Art. Throughout high school she followed the Commercial Course and was a member of the Bowling Club '39-'40, '40-'41, '41-'42; Sports Club '40, '41; Glee Club '40-'41; Choral Club '41-'42; and Art Club '41-'42. Her favorite sports are skiing, skating, and hiking. Throughout three years in high school she participated in the sports of bowling, softball, volleyball, tennis, and field-hockey. Her hobby is collecting alabaster figurines, of which she has a considerable number. In her sophomore year she was costume director of the Pageant, and on the Decoration Committee for the Junior and Senior Proms. The subject most appreciated by her was art, which she hopes will aid her in her chosen lifework.



JOYCE L. ELLIS

"In health of body, peace of mind."

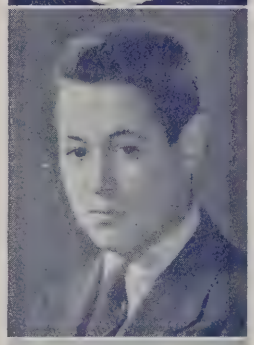
Joyce Ellis, known as "Joy" to her friends, was born in Leominster and has always lived here. She went to the Lancaster Street School until she was in the fifth grade. Then she changed schools and entered the Field Primary School. Next she entered the Leominster Junior High School. During her three years at this school her name was constantly on the Honor Roll. She also played in the band. After graduating from the junior high school she entered the senior high school. During her three years here she has played in the band. In her senior year she was elected secretary of the band. In her junior and senior years she has participated in sports. She has also made the Honor Roll while in high school. Outside of school she belongs to the D. D. Club. which is comprised of a few high school and junior high school girls. After graduation she plans to train to be a nurse.



RAYMOND H. EMERY

"His work of generous love."

Ray, as he is commonly called by his friends, was an active member of the Stamp Club in his sophomore and junior years; he also participated in the interclass basketball contest in his sophomore and junior years. In high school he liked Physics better than any other of his subjects, and the teacher he liked best was Mr. Rogers. For an outside club, he is a member of the "Book of the Month Club." For an avocation he likes to read and he is also a philatelist. For recreational facilities he likes to play pool and billiards, and to read biographical stories about famous persons. Ray has made no definite plans for his future after he graduates from high school.



ELAINE M. EVANS

"She's noble, and bespeaks a nation proud."

Elaine Margaret Evans, otherwise known as "Skippy," wants to become a radio entertainer. She hopes to win a scholarship to Curry Senior College, a school of dramatics, which will prepare her for radio work. She has studied the Commercial Course all through high school. Her name has appeared on the Second Honor Roll. Interested in journalism and dramatics, she belonged to the Press Club in both her sophomore and junior years, and was an active member of the Speech Club all three years. She has taken part in many plays; and also entertained at "Recital Night" with a humorous monologue. She gave a dramatic reading at National Forsenic League. In addition, she ushered at the Sophomore Pageant, and in her junior and senior years, for Interclass Play Contest. She was on the Reception Committee for the Senior Reception and for the Prom in her junior year; and she was on the Reception Committee for the Senior Class Proms. Also, she was chairman of the Reception Committee for the Sophomore Party in her senior year. When a sophomore, she was goalie on the champion field hockey team. Outside of school, Elaine is President of the St. Leo's Catholic Girls' Club. Her biggest thrill in high school came when she was awarded the American Legion Medal for her essay on democracy in her senior year.

BESSIE FIFFY

"With always a good word."

Bessie Fiffy has been a member of the Commercial Course during the three years she has been in high school. She was on the Refreshment Committee for the Junior Prom in '41 and on the Decoration Committee in '42 for the Senior Prom. She also was a member of the Art Club in '41. Her hobby is collecting souvenirs from places she visits. Her favorite sports are swimming and skating.

MARIO FINI

"With hope that cheers —."

Most of Mario's friends call him Mario. He hopes to become an engineer in the future and has been pursuing the Classical Course in order to achieve his ambition. In his sophomore year, Mario was an active member of the Boys' Glee Club, participating in the annual concert. For the past two years he has taken part in the Interclass Play Contest. During his senior year, he has been an active member of the Speech Club, taking part in many of its activities. Mario held office as a sophomore, having been home room secretary, and again as a senior, having been elected to the cabinet. During his three years in high school his name has been frequently seen on the Honor Roll. In Leominster High School, Mario participated in interclass basketball and track. His favorite sports are football, basketball and swimming.

CECELIA M. FLANAGAN

"With spirit, genius, eloquence supplied."

Cecelia's greatest ambition is to become a laboratory technician. She is a member of the Speech Club, the American Legion Auxiliary, an Honorary Junior Member of the Fortnightly Club, and in her junior year she was a Girl Scout Leader. She has been on the Second and the Third Honor Rolls while a junior and senior and is studying the General Course. She has served on the Junior and Senior Prom Committees. She plans to enter a school for laboratory technicians. Her hobby is collecting miniature dolls. During high school she has worked in a dress shop; she was a waitress during the summer. Her favorite sports are skiing, skating, swimming, and fishing. The subject which she considers the most valuable is Chemistry.

RUTH A. FOSTER

"But sing and shine with sweet consent."

Ruth Anne Foster, known to her many friends as Ruthie, intends to enter Becker College in the fall. She plans to study to be a medical secretary. In her sophomore year she was a member of the Leominster High School Band, the Glee Club, and the Friendship League. In her junior year she was elected cheer leader not only for football games but also for basketball. She was also a member of the Friendship League both in her junior and senior years. Because of her new clerical job, working afternoons at F. A. Whitney Carriage Company, she had to give up activities such as sports and plays. She has, however, participated in various assemblies and also was chairman of the Reception Committee at the Senior Prom. Ruthie's favorite hobby is collecting souvenirs for her scrapbooks. Outside of school she belongs to The Order of Rainbow for Girls, in which her office is Faith. She is also a Girl Scout, and is Drum Major and sergeant drummer of the Girl Scouts Drum and Bugle Corps. Dancing, swimming, and bowling are her three favorite sports. The subject which was of most value to her was Public Speaking.

ROSE FRANCIOSE

"The pealing anthem swells the note of praise."

Rose, or "Rosie," has taken the Commercial Course throughout her high school career. Working after school has limited her activities. The clubs to which she has belonged are the Speech Club, Girls' Outdoor Sports Club, and the Girls' Hockey Team. She enjoys all kinds of sports, especially roller skating. For a hobby, she writes letters and collects postcards and snapshots. After graduation she intends to be a typist or else a telephone operator.

DORIS FRISKE

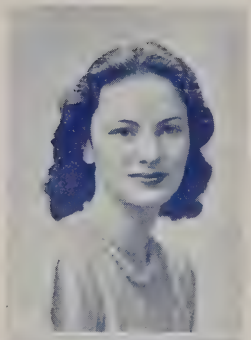
"How fleet is a glance of the mind."

Doris Friske, better known as "Friskey," was born in Leominster. During her senior year she wrote a scene for, and also took part in, the play for Tuberculosis Skin Tests. She also participated in one of the Monday Morning Sings. Her name has appeared on the Honor Roll. Her hobbies are collecting stamps and playing the piano accordian. Throughout her three years at the Senior High School she has taken the General Course. She plans to enter a hospital to train to become a nurse.

PHYLLIS M. GAGNON

"The sparkling eye."

Phyllis Gagnon, often called Phil, has taken the General Course throughout her high school career. She has been on the Honor Roll. Phil was a member of the Glee Club during her sophomore year and took part in the operetta "False Feranando." She has also been a member of the Field Hockey Team. She loves to attend football and basketball games. Her favorite sports are swimming and tobogganing. Outside of school Phyllis has been a member of the C. O. H. and has taken part in many of their activities. She has many hobbies; two of them are composing songs and drawing portraits of her friends. Throughout her high school years Phil has found that English and Human Relations are the subjects which have been of most value to her. After graduation Phyllis plans to obtain a position and further her studying of singing.



FREDERICK R. GARRITY

"A gentleman, humane, kind."

Frederick's complete name is Frederick Richard Garrity. Everyone calls him "Fred" for short. That is the only nickname he has. Fred's greatest ambition is to be a good swimmer and skier. Fred has belonged to the Student Cabinet and to no other club. He belonged to the cabinet in his sophomore and senior years. In his junior year he held the office of vice-president in his home room. In his senior year he was president of the Student Council. In all his years of high school, he has studied the Classical Course. During the school year Fred played football. His favorite sports are swimming, football, and skiing. Outside of school, Fred is a scoutmaster of Troop 10, B. S. A. He works in the scout camp during the summer months. Fred considers his graduation from high school as his most memorable experience. After graduating from high school, Fred hopes to attend The New England Aircraft School in Boston.

RUTH E. GILLIS

"Famed for thy worthiness."

Ruth is better known to her friends as "Ruthie." She has taken both the Commercial Course and General Courses. Ruth was treasurer of her home room in her sophomore year. In her junior year, she was a member of the Biology Club. In her senior year, Ruth was a member of the Speech Club and of the Posture Club. Ruth was on both the Junior and Senior Prom Committees and was an usher at the Interclass Play Contest, held in the Rialto Theatre. Ruth likes to collect pins and necklaces as a hobby. She enjoys skating, tennis, bowling, and horseback riding. After graduation, Ruth plans to enter the Convalescent Home for Children in Wellesley.

ANN B. GIZZI

"To save your life, would nobly risk her own."

Being a lover of sports, Ann Gizzi has participated in all of the sports that she could in spite of working after school. Her favorite sports are swimming and field hockey. She also enjoys dancing. Ann has worked in Newberry's as a clerk. At the present time she is employed at the New England Novelty Company. Ann has been on the Second Honor Roll every term during her junior and senior years. Although she will not admit it, she is a very lucky girl, because she has been driving her dad's car to and from school. In the evenings she and her dad compromise on who has the car that night; surprisingly enough, we usually see Ann with it. Her greatest ambition is to have her own beauty shop.

MARIE L. GOODALE

"There is glory for the virtuous."

Marie has pursued the Commercial Course throughout her three years in Leominster High School. Her activities in school have included basketball, volleyball, field hockey, and tennis. In her sophomore year she was an agent for the "Magnet" and in her senior year she was both a member of the Speech Club and Health Club. She was a member of both Junior and Senior Prom Committees and was an usher for the Interclass Play Contest in her senior year. Outside of school she has been active in such sports as skating, swimming and bowling. Her favorite pastime is reading. Her favorite color is blue. Her plans for the future are incomplete.

ELIZABETH M. GOODWIN

"Cheerful in her song."

Elizabeth Marion Goodwin, otherwise known as Betty, has lived in Leominster for thirteen years. She has taken the Classical Course for the past three years. Her favorite sports are skiing, swimming, and basketball. She enjoys watching football and ice hockey. She has belonged to the Speech Club, Bowling Club, Skiing Club, and was in her sophomore year a member of the "Magnet" staff. In her sophomore year she participated in the Interclass Play Contest, in which she received third place for her acting. She plans to further her studies at Boston University, where she will take the Medical Secretarial course.

FLORA S. GOULD

"I am out of humanity's reach —."

"Flora Dora," as she is known by her friends, is ambitious to study nursing. In her sophomore year she studied the Commercial Course, and then she studied the General Curriculum in her junior and senior years. Her name has frequently appeared on the Honor Roll in her senior year. Flora's favorite pastime is attending plays and movies. Her favorite actor is Errol Flynn; actress, Barbara Stanwyck. Her hobbies are collecting pictures of movie stars and snapshots of friends. While attending school she worked part-time doing housework. She also worked afternoons at Tilton and Cook's. Her favorite subject is English. Ice skating, baseball and volleyball are her favorite activities.

HENRY J. GOULD

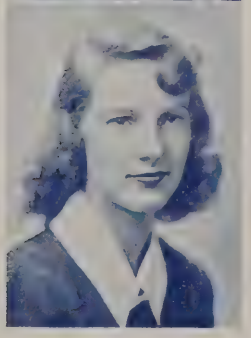
"Expert in the duties of his place."

Henry Gould first saw the light of day in New Bedford, Massachusetts, on November 23, 1923. He attended the Lancaster Street School for one year and then changed to Lincoln School for five years. He entered Junior High School, and, while he was there, he was a member of the Patrol Club and of the orchestra. By some twist of good fortune he made the Second Honor Roll. In 1939, he graduated without too much trouble. When he entered high school he went out for the football squad and the track team, in both of which he received letters. In the Interclass Track Meet, he won a silver medal in the high jump. "Hank," as he is called by everyone, likes to ski, skate, and swim. His hobby is radio. When he graduates, he plans to work for a year or two and then enter the Army Radio School at Scott Field, Illinois. There he hopes to get a rating of radio technician.

MARY GROGAN

"Silence gives consent."

Mary Grogan has taken the General Course throughout her three years at Leominster High School. During her junior and senior years, she served on committees for both the Junior Prom and the Senior Prom. Mary likes both Cultural French and Human Relations. She is also very interested in doing various kinds of art work.



NANCY E. GREEN

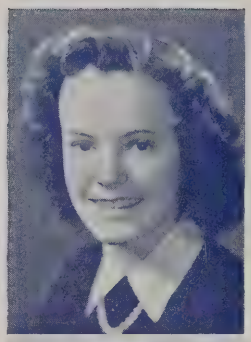
"To us with benignity, friendship, and truth."

Nancy or "Nance," as she is sometimes called by her friends, has taken the Classical Course throughout her high school career. She has been a member of the Speech Club, first year; French Club second and third; Decoration Committee for Junior and Senior Proms; Press, Camera, and Ski Clubs, senior year; and orchestra for three years. Outside of school she is a member of the Y.P.R.U., Junior Alliance, of which she is president, and the Senior Scouts, of which she is secretary and treasurer. She also belongs to the choir of the Unitarian Church. Being able to play both violin and piano, she has played for many organizations. At a girls' camp she was assistant councillor. Also she has worked in Green's Drug Store. Her favorite sports are skiing (especially), swimming, sailing, horseback riding, and camping. She plans to further her education either at Miss Bouvé's or at Colby Junior College, N. H., in order to train for a physical education career.

EILEEN M. HALEY

"Thy face I only crave to see."

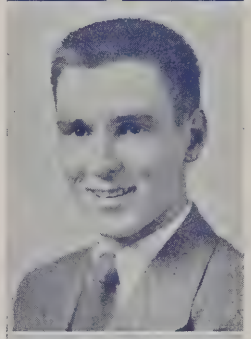
Eileen's greatest ambition is to become a fashion designer, and after graduation she plans to enter the Boston Art School. In her sophomore year, she was a member of the Speech, Press, and Glee Clubs; in her junior year, she was a member of the Art, Press, French, and Sports Clubs; as a senior she belonged to the Camera Club and worked on the Commencement Issue of the "Magnet." During the last three years, Eileen has participated in such sports as volleyball, softball, field-hockey, and tennis. In her sophomore year she was in the Sophomore Pageant and ushered at the Interclass Play Contest, and as a junior she was an usher at the Senior Reception of the class of 1941. Eileen was on the Decoration Committee of both the junior and senior proms of her class. She combined the Classical and Business courses throughout her high school career, and her name has appeared several times on the Second Honor Roll. Outside of school, Eileen's favorite sports are skiing, skating, swimming, and surf-riding.



JOHN J. HANKARD

"Virtue engages his assent, but pleasures win his heart."

John Joseph Hankard, Jr., known to his friends as Huck, has taken a mixed course, College and General. He has taken part in various sports at L. H. S. and was a member of the International Friendship League in his senior year. He has taken part in interclass sports: hockey 2, 3, 4; basketball 2, 3, 4; baseball 2; and track 3, 4. During the past year Huck took part in the French Christmas play and the International Friendship League Quiz Program and was a member of the Prom Committee. Outside of school he is employed at Walsh's Service Station as a grease monkey. He spends a lot of time at his favorite pastime, billiards, and he is a member of the O'Rourke A. C. His one ambition is to be an aviator in the army or navy.



ARLINE P. HANSON

"Gladness grew in me upon the discovery of so delightful a person."

Arline Hanson, better known to her most intimate friends as "Dolly," has been taking the Classical course. Her greatest ambition is to become a dietician, and she intends to go first to North Park College, Chicago, Illinois, and then to Simmons College, Boston. She has made the Honor Roll frequently while in the high school. She was a member of the Glee Club and Orchestra in her sophomore year and of the Camera Club in her senior year. During her school years she has taken part in volleyball, softball, basketball, tennis, and bowling. She has belonged to the Pilgrim Church choir, in Fitchburg, and the Y. P. S. She participated in the Joint Concert and has been a Junior member of the Fortnightly Club. The subjects that have been of most value to her are chemistry and biology. She enjoys swimming, skating, bowling, and playing tennis, very much. Her favorite pastime is playing her cello with the Pilgrim trio.

NATALIE Y. HARRINGTON

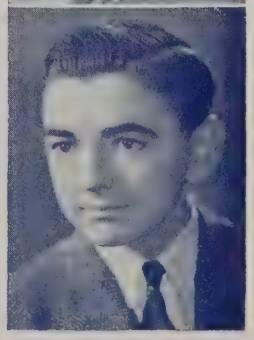
"So elegant, even, and neat."

Next September, Natalie Harrington plans to enter the University of New Hampshire. She has pursued the Classical Course throughout high school and has been on the Honor Roll frequently. Her numerous activities when she was a sophomore include ushering at the interclass plays, being vice-president of the Stamp Club, a member of Art and Press Clubs, and a member of the volley, softball, and bowling teams. In her junior year "Nat" participated in hockey, softball, tennis and bowling and was a member of the Sports Club and the French Club. This year has found her just as active in sports and also the secretary of the Photography Club. She is a member of the school band and has taken part in all the band activities this year.

WILLIAM HART

"Thus showed his ready wit."

William Hart, Jr., known as "Bill" or "Hartie" to his friends, aspires to become an officer in the United States Navy. In his sophomore year he belonged to the Speech Club and also represented Room 15, of which he was president, in the Student Cabinet. In his senior year he was vice-president of the newly formed Ski Club. He appeared in the Speech Club Armistice Day play in his sophomore year. He was a member of the football squad during his sophomore and junior years. Also he has acted as manager of the baseball team for three years. In addition to this he has played for his home room in the Intra-Mural Basketball Tournament each year since he has been in this school. His name has appeared quite frequently on the Second and Third Honor Rolls. He has served as president, treasurer, and secretary of his home room respectively during his three years here. He has always been a student of the Classical Curriculum.



BEVERLY HILTZ

"Or better than the rest."

Beverly, known as Bev, has taken the Classical Course during her three years of high school. Frequently during these years, she has been on the Second and Third Honor Rolls. During her sophomore year, she was secretary-treasurer of the Stamp Club, and usher at the Interclass Play Contest. In her junior year she was an usher at the Senior Reception, and a member of the tennis team. She joined the Photography Club in her senior year and was elected treasurer. Also during her senior year she became an honorary member of the Fortnightly Club. Bev has, as a hobby, the collection of toy dogs. In this collection she has about one hundred different ones. Some of these dogs are from Panama, Canada, Florida, California, and New Brunswick. She has no particular favorite sport, but always enjoys a good football game. Her plans for after graduation are as yet incomplete.

CORINNE E. HILTZ

"And all that beauty, all that wealth e'er gave."

During her three years in high school, Corinne has taken the Classical Course and has been on the Second or Third Honor Roll all the time. In these years, math has been the subject which she has enjoyed most and which has been of the greatest value to her. Outside of school she has been an honorary member of the Fortnightly Club. Her hobbies are stamp collecting and photography. She joined the Stamp Club in her sophomore year and the Camera Club in her senior year. Swimming and skiing are her favorite sports outside of school, but she also likes tennis and watching a good football game. As yet, her plans after leaving school are incomplete, but she wishes to further her studies so she will be able to become an accountant.

KENNETH A. HITCHCOCK

"Whose heart the real claim of friendship knows."

During his three years at Leominster High School, Kenneth has been better known to his friends as "Ken." For a hobby he has been collecting photographs of his friends. This is an amusing collection since he always attempts to take his subjects unexpectedly. Throughout his sophomore and junior years, he was enrolled in the Classical Course; but in his senior year he changed to the Commercial Course. His activities in school were few, but outside of school he was active in baseball, basketball, bowling, and hockey. Ken likes to pass away his time either by fishing or hunting. His plans for the future are not definite, but his ready smile and pleasant disposition will help him get along.

RICHARD F. HOWARD

"Your brain well furnished, and your tongue well taught."

Richard Francis Howard, better known among his friends as "Dick," has taken the Classical Course throughout his high school career. Because of many outside interests, besides holding a part time job, Dick has not had time to engage in school activities. His favorite hobbies, taxidermy and stamp collecting, are second only to his favorite sports, hunting and fishing. His interest in hunting, fishing and taxidermy was indirectly responsible for his desire to be a veterinarian. Recently, however, because of the present emergency, he was presented with an opportunity to become a machinist. Now Dick has decided to be a machinist, at least for the duration of the war.

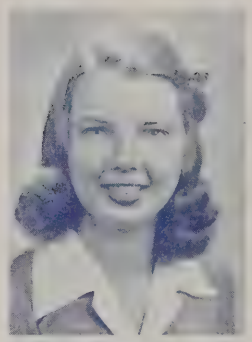
LUCILLE I. HUME

"Thy heart I only crave."

Throughout her three years of high school Lucille has taken the Classical Course with the idea of becoming a nurse. She served on one of the committees for the Senior Prom. Her favorite sports are swimming, skating, and skiing. She also enjoys football and basketball. Her hobbies include seeing good movies and reading. Her plans for the future are not complete but she would like to train at a hospital in Boston.

CHARLOTTE A. JAMES

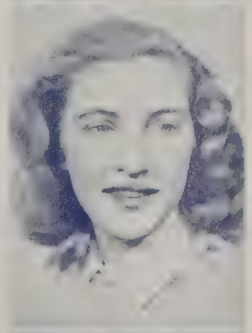
"And dressed a little smarter."



Charlotte Ann James, sometimes called "Sharlie" by her closest friends, has been very active during her three years of high school. During her sophomore and junior years, she was very active in the Speech Club and Glee Club. She participated in an Armistice play, was leading lady in the sophomore play for the Interclass Play Contest, and was in a Christmas play given at George St. School. In her senior year she played the violin for "The Devil and Daniel Webster." After playing in the orchestra during her sophomore and junior years, she was chosen by Miss Brown as concert mistress in her senior year. This position gave her the privilege of playing a violin solo at the annual Joint Concert with Fitchburg. Her ability to play the violin also made it possible for her to be chosen as a representative of the Leominster High School Orchestra to participate in the New England Music Festivals at Provincetown, Mass. and New London, Conn. Next year, Charlotte is entering Stephens College in Columbia, Missouri. Here she plans to major in dramatics, taking violin lessons besides. Her favorite sports are skiing, swimming and horseback riding. During the winter season you can always find her at the Ski Tow or on some neighboring hill, practicing a slalom course.

SHIRLEY JOHNSON

"When with pleasure, her praises I hear."



Shirley is known to most of her friends as "Johnny." She has taken the Commercial Course during her three years at high school. She now plans on taking a civil service exam for clerical work. During her sophomore year she was an usher for the Sophomore Pageant; she was a member of the Girls' Sports Club in her sophomore and junior years. In her senior year she was on the Business Committee for the Senior Prom and a member of the Speech Club. Johnny's favorite pastime is collecting different kinds of match covers. Her favorite sports are football, baseball, softball, and field hockey.

PAULINE E. JOY

"Cheerful if not gay."

Pauline is better known to her friends as "Polly." She has taken the Commercial Course throughout her three years in Leominster High School, and was on the Honor Roll her junior and senior years. Pauline was treasurer of her homeroom in her sophomore year. She was a member of the Speech Club during her junior and senior years. She coached the winning play in the Interclass Play Contest in her junior year, and also ushered at the Sophomore Party. In her senior year she took part in the play "Elmer" for the Sophomore Party. Outside of school she is a junior member of the Fortnightly Club. She is also a member of the Sterling Drama Club and has taken part in the plays that the Club has given. During her senior year she worked for a time at the Savings Bank. Her plans for the future are incomplete.

LEO KERSHAW

"And he loved a timely joke."

Leo Kershaw is a senior who has taken the Classical Course throughout his high school years. He played left end on the varsity team in his senior year. Other favorite sports of his are skiing and basketball. Leo was appointed to the position of stage manager of the Senior Play. Leo also enjoyed membership in the Ski Club and assisted on the staff of the "Magnet." Upon graduation Leo plans to enter a school of engineering.

THOMAS KILCOYNE

"Best gift; the unfailing source of joy."

Thomas Kilcoyne is better known as Bud, to his friends. During his school years he has been a member of the Ski Club. Although he has not taken part in any varsity sports he has participated in all intra-mural sports, such as baseball, hockey, and basketball. He was also Senior Football Manager. He has studied the Classical Course these past three years. In his sophomore year he was secretary of his home room and of his class. In his junior year he again was secretary of his home room and of his class. In his senior year he was president of his home room. He was also on the Junior and Senior Prom Committees. His hobby is collecting stamps. While in this high school he worked in the Red and White Store just opposite the school. His favorite sports are hockey, baseball, football and skiing. He is undecided as to what he will do next year.

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JOAN E. KILLELEA

"Her smile, superior to the breath of fame."

Joan, like many a senior, has photography for her hobby. She likes to collect snapshots of her friends, and paste these pictures in an album. During her sophomore year, Joan was a member of the Bowling Club, and was also active in Press Club work. She has been her homeroom agent for the "Magnet" during her three years at high school, and has also had her name listed on the Honor Roll for every term during this time. In Joan's junior year she served as an officer of the French Club and as a member of the Student Council; she also belonged to the Tennis Club. For sports she enjoys swimming, skating, and volleyball. She had the pleasure of being the captain of the junior team that won the volleyball championship last year, and is on the volleyball team this year. An honorary member of the Fortnightly Club, Joan also belongs to St. Leo's Girls' Club. Her name has appeared on the Decorating Committee for Junior Prom, and the Reception Committee for the Senior Prom. This year she is a member of the French and Press Clubs. Joan is studying the Classical Course, and would like to attend Fitchburg State Teachers' College.

BARBARA KINGSBURY

"Now let her sing."

Barbara, usually referred to as "Babs" or "Bobby," entered Leominster High School in the middle of her junior year. She was taking the Commercial Course while a junior but changed to the General Course in her senior year. During the two years she has been here she has been a member of the Glee Club and of the Speech Club. She has taken part in many of the Sings and Variety Shows. In her senior year she appeared twice on the Honor Roll, and she has been a homeroom officer in both years. In her senior year she took part in the Tuberculosis Play and Drive. Her favorite sports are swimming, dancing, tennis, and skiing. Her favorite hobby is collecting unique pins and music. Barbara wishes to become an efficient telephone operator after high school.

LORNE J. LA GOY

"With thoughts for other men."

Lorne Joseph La Goy "L. L." has been a member of Leominster Senior High for three years. His greatest ambition is to become one of three things: a gunsmith, a florist, or a landscape architect. He has taken the General Course throughout his high school years. At present he is studying at the Vocational School in preparation for working in a machine shop after graduation or possibly sooner. His hobbies are bowling and studying wildlife. In previous years he has worked at a greenhouse, and he is now employed at the Rainbow Alleys as a pinboy. His favorite sports are fishing, hunting, and hiking. The subjects that were of most value to him were English, Mathematics, and Biology.

JOHN W. LAMBERT

"A friend to truth, of soul sincere."

Jack comes from a farm on the outskirts of Sterling. In his senior year, he found time to go out for football during the last half of the season. Because he works so much of the time, this was the only sport in which he could participate. Having some spare time during activities period, he joined the Camera Club. He has taken the Classical Course and has made the Second Honor Roll fairly consistently, and his most memorable experience was receiving the Mayo Prize in algebra. He plans to further his studies in chemistry at Massachusetts State College.

LILIANNE B. LAMOUREUX

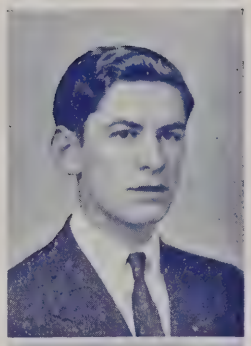
"Possessive of numerous charms."

Lilianne is known to her friends as "Lil." She is taking the Commercial Course and plans to become a telephone operator after graduation. She has been on the Honor Roll frequently. Last September she was made an honorary junior member of the Fortnightly Club. She took part in the Sophomore pageant and was property manager for the Sophomore Interclass Play. In her junior year she took an active part in the Junior Interclass Play, "The Maid of Domremy." Reading is her favorite pastime. Her hobby is collecting pictures of her friends and getting souvenirs from the places she visits.

DENNIS L. LAMY

"Though he little said, he paid it off in thinking."

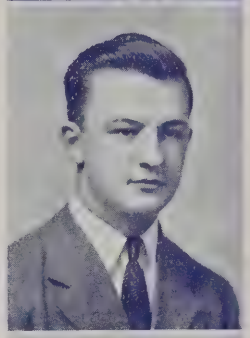
This is the school life of a boy called "Denny" by his friends. He attended St. Bernard High School for one year before coming to L. H. S. At first he was more or less a stranger among most of the students, but there were a few who knew him because of their having been together in grammar school. After a while he became better known and made many friends. In his sophomore year he was on the Junior Prom Committee. He was unable to play football because of a job he wanted to keep. In his senior year he was again on the Prom Committee. Even though he was not an honor student, he believes that it is not so much the mark one gets but the value one gets out of the subjects that really counts. Ever since he has been in high school his greatest ambition has been to become an army aviator.



RAYMOND LAPIERRE

"He cheers the faces of woe."

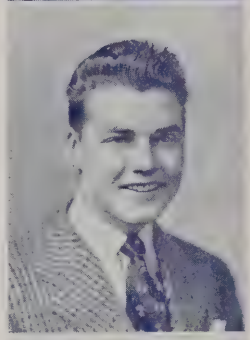
Raymond "Ray" LaPierre, although born in Newark, New Jersey, has lived in Leominster for the past seventeen years. He entered the Leominster High School in 1939, whereupon he took the Classical Course. He is an average student and has made the Second Honor Roll throughout his senior year. "Ray" belongs to the International Friendship and French Clubs. He took part in the 1939 Sophomore Pageant, and he also took part in the 1942 Interclass Play. His favorite sport is football, and his hobbies are collecting stamps and fishes. "Ray's" greatest ambition is to attend college and then join one of the armed forces of America.



WILLIAM P. LAWLER

"I am monarch of all I survey."

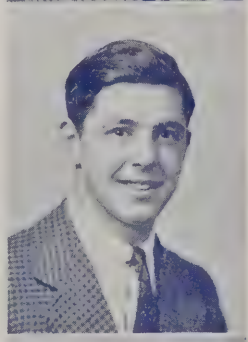
William is known better to all as "Bill." His greatest ambition is to see the United States and work the beaches. He has belonged to the International Club and was master of ceremonies for a program they gave. For sports he engaged in interclass basketball (2-3-4), interclass hockey (2-3), and interclass track (2-3-4). He is taking the General Course. He was homeroom chairman in his sophomore year and cabinet member in his junior year. He advocated dancing in the gym while he was on the Cabinet. He worked at the Wachusett Shirt Co. For sports he enjoys softball, football, basketball, and track.



EMERY E. LEGER

"Once a bashful youth."

Emery is often called "Teaboy" by his fellow classmates. His greatest desire is to be a physical instructor. During his junior year he participated in the track and tumbling teams. In his sophomore year he took the Commercial Course, and in his junior and senior years he took the General Course. Emery has no immediate plans for the future. His hobbies have consisted of collecting old coins, and pictures of old strong men. Last summer he worked at the Plastic Turning Company. Emery's favorite sport is weight-lifting. He is also very much interested in swimming, gymnastics, football, and basketball. The Fitchburg Y.M.C.A. now has a new member for their weight-lifting team. He took part in the interclass basketball 2, 3, 4. Emery considers Human Relations II the most valuable subject in the Leominster High School.



THELMA J. MAC GILLVRAY

"She wore, even under wintry skies, a summer smile."

Thelma Jane MacGillvray, usually called "McGill," was born in Brookline in 1924 and has since resided in Leominster. Her greatest ambition is to go to Westbrook Junior College and become a journalist. She belonged to the Speech Club and Orchestra in her sophomore year; French Club and Orchestra in her junior year; and she was a member of the French Club, Ski Club and Orchestra in her senior year. Her hobbies include the collection of sugar cubes and match covers. She has many favorite sports; namely, skiing, skating, swimming, bowling, boating and bicycling. Senior Girl Scouts is one of her interesting outside activities. She was a woman of the wedding scene in the Senior Play, "The Devil and Daniel Webster."

THERESA E. MALO

"She has a word of gratitude and love."

Theresa's ambition is to become a dental hygenist. During her high school years she has been a member of the Glee Club and of the International Club. She has been on the Second and Third Honor Rolls and has been studying the College and General courses. After leaving high school she plans to enter the Forsyth Dental School in Boston. During her high school career she has worked in Frye's Ice Cream Parlor and has taken care of children. Her hobby is collecting menus from different places where she has been. Her favorite sports are skiing, swimming, and tennis. One organization outside of school to which she belongs is St. Jean's Degree Team, and she is also an honorary junior member of the Fortnightly Club. All of her subjects have proven to be valuable to her. The events which she enjoyed the most were the proms which she attended.

MARION R. MARTEL

"She blinds us with elegance and ease."

Marion Ruth Martel has taken the Classical Course throughout high school. During her sophomore and junior years she was a member of the International Friendship League. In her senior year she was a member of the Speech Club. While in her sophomore year, she was in the sophomore play, "Liberty and Union." In her senior year she was in the play "The Devil and Daniel Webster." She was a junior member of the Fortnightly Club. In her junior year she was an usher at the Senior Class Reception. She plans to go to Boston University.

CONSTANCE MARINI

" 'Tis wisdom which she owns."

Constance Marini, known to her friends as Connie, was born in Brighton, on June 18, 1924. She has been a member of the Speech Club for her three years in high school. She took part in a Christmas play in 1941 and also participated in the Senior Class Play. Her hobbies are collecting cowboy pictures and songs, and corresponding with friends in different parts of the country. While in high school, she has worked at E. B. Kingman Company and at the New England Novelty Company. Her favorite sports are horseback riding, swimming, dancing, and skating. During her Commercial Course she has taken up many subjects, of which shorthand and typing are of most value to her. She expects to further her education in some business college but as yet is undecided which one.

DORIS MARTIN

"Thy own sweet smile I see."

Doris is called "Dori" by her close friends. The Commercial Course has been her choice. During her three years in high school she has been a member of the band. She has been a member of the International Friendship League for over six years. This year she is secretary of the club. In her sophomore year she ushered for the Interclass Play Contest and also took part in the play "Liberty and Union." Her name has been on the Honor Roll several times. She is sporting a diamond at present, so it is quite possible that her ambition is to be a good housewife. Doris is a great collector. Among her collections are picture post cards, cook books, and phonograph records, both popular and semi-classical. In the summertime Doris enjoys swimming, boating, and fishing at her cottage at Washacum. Outside of school she has belonged to the Girl Scouts and the Y.P.R.U.

JEAN I. MC ASKILL

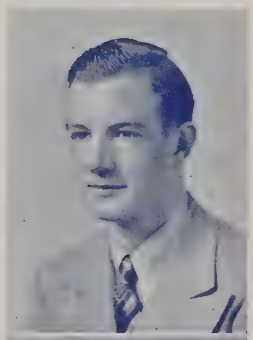
"The center of a glowing heart."

Jean, often called Jeanie by her friends, has taken the General Course throughout her three years in high school. During her senior year she was a member of the Art Club. Outside of school she belongs to the Youth Fellowship of the Methodist Church. Her hobby is collecting souvenirs from various places she has been, and her favorite sports are roller skating and ice skating. During her junior year she was a member of the Refreshment Committee for the Junior Prom. In her spare time she enjoys reading and going to the movies. After graduation she plans to enter the Wellesley Children's Hospital where she will train to be a governess.

ALFRED F. MC CAFFREY

"And shines without desiring to be seen."

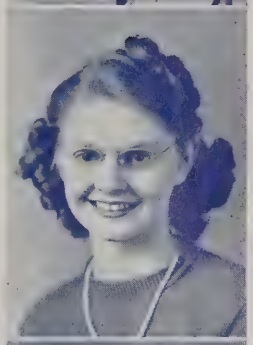
Alfred is better known to his friends by his nickname "Mac." Throughout his three years in high school he has pursued the Commercial Course. Last year he was chosen to be one of the ushers at the Senior graduation and reception. His name has appeared on various Honor Rolls. He played intra-mural basketball, but as he works after school, he has had little time for many of the school activities. Outside of school he is an active member of the Comets A. A. Club. His favorite sports and pastimes are basketball, baseball, football. For indoor sports, he enjoys bowling and billiards in his leisure time. He was on both the Senior and Junior Prom Committees. His plans for the future are now incomplete.



ELIZABETH M. MC DOWELL

"She steals our affections away, man."

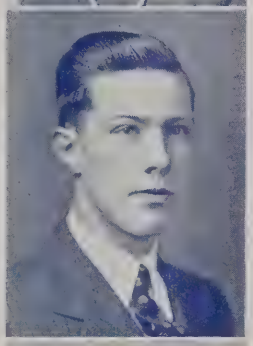
Elizabeth is better known as "Betty" to her friends and acquaintances. During her three years in Leominster High School, she has taken the Commercial Course. She served as waitress on the Refreshment Committee for both the Junior and Senior Proms. Although her extra activities in school have been few, she has been active in several organizations in her church. She is secretary of the W.L.C.L. of the Methodist Church, and was secretary of the "True Blues" during 1941. She also belongs to the Epworth League of her church. Her hobby is collecting souvenirs. She enjoys roller skating very much. Betty's name appeared on the Honor Roll during her sophomore year and again in her senior year. After school hours she has kept busy taking care of children and working in an office. She hopes to enter Wellesley Hospital after graduation.



JOHN A. MC NANEY

"Knowledge is proud that he has learned so much."

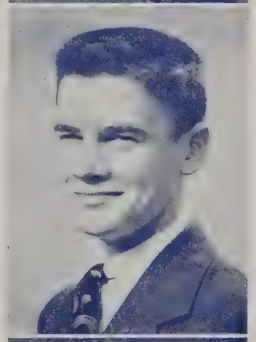
John McNaney, known to his friends as "Johnny," belonged to the Boys' Glee Club in his sophomore and junior years. He has taken part in three of the Leominster-Fitchburg Joint Concerts and many other musical programs in which the Boys' Glee Club participated. John's favorite sport is track, proved by his work on the track teams of 1940 and 1941. After school John works in a local market as a meat clerk. In his senior year he made the Second Honor Roll twice in succession. Johnny says that his most memorable experience in high school was listening to President Roosevelt ask for a vote of war from Congress on December 8, 1941, over the school radio. John's hobby is writing. Many of his stories and poems may be found in past issues of the "Magnet," on the staff of which he served for two years. The field into which he intends to go requires an extensive knowledge of mathematics; thus he considers his two years of algebra and geometry a great help and investment. His greatest ambition is to become a United States Air Cadet.



RUSSELL MILLER

"So like an arrow swift he flew."

Russell Miller, "Ace" to his friends, has taken the Classical Course throughout his three years at Leominster High School. This Sterling lad was on the track team for all three years and played football, which is his favorite sport, as a senior. Russell was president of Room 11 his junior year, and has made the Second or Third Honor Rolls at various times, but his love for nonsense has kept him from making them regularly. He is a member of De Molay, and is treasurer of the Christian Endeavor in Sterling, where he also belongs to the Dramatic Club. He has spent most of his working hours on farms in Sterling or Stow. He likes the mathematical subjects and believes that they have been of most value to him. "Ace's" hobby is aviation, and he would like to join the U. S. Marine Paratroops.



MARGARET MINO

"A faultless body and a blameless mind."

Margaret, known as "Margie," has taken the Commercial Course throughout her three years at high school. As she is interested in all sports, she has been very active in athletics. She was on the volleyball, basketball and softball teams. She also served on committees for the Junior and Senior Proms. Her hobbies are collecting stamps and scrapbooks full of recipes, pictures, and popular songs. Reading is one of her favorite pastimes. She also enjoys the movies; her favorite stars are Martha Scott and Spencer Tracy. Her favorite sport outside of school is going on hikes and roller skating. After graduation from high school she would like to secure a position as a typist.

THERESA D. MORIN

"Her look was like the morning's smile."

Theresa is better known to many of her friends by the nickname of "Terry." She has, throughout her three years, pursued the Commercial Course, and her greatest ambition is to become a private secretary. She was in the Interclass Play during her sophomore year and was business manager for the Sophomore Pageant. During her Junior and Senior years she belonged to the Speech Club. She was on the Publicity Committee for the Senior Prom. Because she works afternoons in F. W. Woolworth's, she has been unable to participate in sports. Her name has appeared several times on the Honor Roll. Her favorite sports are swimming and roller skating. Although she hopes to attend a secretarial school, her after-graduation plans are not yet complete.

RUTH E. MORSE

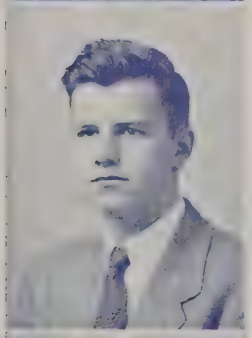
"Mistress of herself, though china fall."

Ruth, who is better known to her friends as Evangeline, has pursued the Classical Course and majored in science throughout her three years in high school. The thing she enjoyed most was experimenting in the physics and chemistry laboratory. She intends to enter the School of Nursing of Peter Bent Brigham Hospital. After finishing this course, she hopes to become an air hostess. During her high school years, she has been on the Honor Roll, belonged to the Camera Club, ushered at the Reception, been on the Lunch Room Committee, and taken part in a sketch. Being interested in church work, she has taught Sunday School class and has been program chairman of the Senior Christian Endeavor of the First Baptist Church. She has varied interests; such as, reading, skiing, roller skating and collecting pictures of friends. During the last three years, she has been employed as a regular extra clerk by F. W. Woolworth Company.

RUTH A. NIMEE

"But Thou art good, and goodness still delighteth to forgive."

Ruth, or "Ruthie," has taken the Classical Course and is planning to further her education at Endicott Junior College where she will major in the merchandising course. Her main interest is the clothing business, but her hobbies are collecting lamps and postcards and reading. The outdoor activities which she enjoys are bicycling, riding, hiking, and swimming. During her three years in high school, she has been in the Speech and French Clubs. In her junior year, she was quite active in the Girls' Outdoor Sports Club, and on the basketball team, the volley-ball team, and the tennis team. She was a member of the Decorating Committees for the proms in her junior and senior years. Her main interest, however, was the "Magnet," of which she was assistant-editor in her junior year. Each year in both junior and senior high schools, Ruth has made the Honor Roll. While in the ninth grade in the Leominster Junior High School, she was also the assistant-supervisor of patrols. She was an honorary junior member of the Fortnightly Club. Ruthie feels that the subject that was of most value to her was Latin. She would like very much to include this language in her further studies.



EDWARD C. O'NEIL

"The handsome and the kind."

Edward O'Neil, known to his friends as "Eddie," has taken two years of the Classical Course, and one year of the General Course. The subjects he enjoys most are Human Relations and Physics. In his three years at high school he has been an active member of the business staff of the "Magnet," and in his senior year he was advertising manager. He was also a member of the Biology Club, and served on the Lunch Room Committee. While a member of Room 6, he was president. He played interclass hockey and interclass basketball. His hobby is collecting coins, of which he has many. Outside of school he has worked in a grocery store. After graduation he plans to study aviation and then enlist in the U. S. Navy.

ELEANOR R. ORDWAY

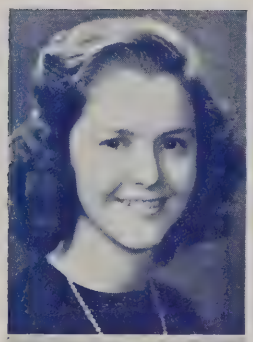
"She's stately like yon youthful ash."

Eleanor is better known as "El" to her many friends. In her sophomore and junior years she took the Classical Course, but changed to the Commercial Course in her senior year. She has been on the Honor Roll all three years, making first Honor Roll her senior year. She was a member of the International Friendship League and an active member of The Speech Club, taking part in "Liberty and Union" and the Senior Interclass Play. She was a member of both Junior and Senior Prom Committees, and was an usher for the Senior Reception and for Recital Night. Eleanor takes an active part in organizations outside of school and is an officer of the Epworth League. Music is her chief pastime; during her leisure time she can generally be found at the piano. Her greatest ambition has been to become a chiropodist. After graduation from high school she plans to enter a business college but is undecided as to which college.

LUCILLE OUELLETTE

"She, the fair sun of all her sex."

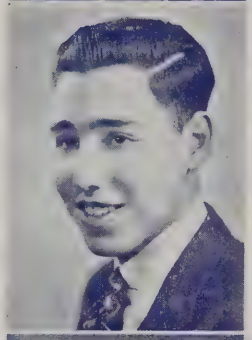
The nickname which Lucille goes by is "Lou." She has studied the Commercial Course. The subject which has been of most value to her is typewriting. Her favorite sports are swimming and tennis. Her hobbies are collecting snapshots and coloring photos. During her high school years, she has belonged to the International Friendship League in the second year, the Glee Club in the second and third years, and the Choral Group in the third year. She took part in the pageant "Liberty and Union" in her sophomore year. She also participated in the Fitchburg and Leominster Joint Concerts in her second and third years and the operetta, "False Fernando," in her second year. Her ambition is to become a photo-painter, but she is uncertain what she will do after graduation.



BERNARD M. PADONLE

"When he speaks, what elocution flows."

Bernard, who is better known to his friends as "Bob," has taken the Commercial Course during his three years in high school. In his sophomore year he belonged to the Speech Club and in his junior year to the Press Club. He took part in the Sophomore Pageant and was on the Junior and Senior Prom Committees. He has also been a member of the tennis team. During football season Bob could always be seen serving as cashier at the games while during basketball season he acted as ticket taker at the games. When not working, he enjoys building model boats and airplanes. He also enjoys watching football and basketball games. He says that physics has been of most value to him. Bob's plans for the future are incomplete at present, but he hopes to be a successful business man.



GRACE E. PADOVANO

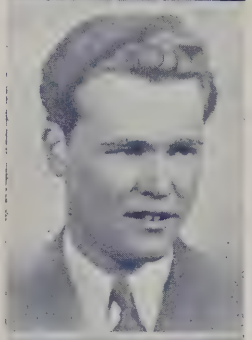
"Give ear unto my song."

Grace, known as "Paddy," has taken the Commercial Course throughout her three years. She was a member of the International Club and took part in the Sophomore Pageant. For the past three years she has been a member of the Glee Club and Choral Group, taking part in the operetta "False Fernando," Fitchburg-Leominster Concerts, and the Christmas assembly, as well as various other assemblies. She was a homeroom officer in her sophomore and junior years and was an honorary junior member of the Fortnightly Club. She has made the Honor Roll for three years and has assisted on prom committees. In her junior year she was awarded second prize in Italian. While in high school she has been employed at Nickerson's Dry Goods Store. Her favorite sports are tennis and swimming. She enjoys playing both classical and popular music on the piano. Outside of school, "Paddy" sings in the church choir at St. Anna's and is a member of the Girls' Junior Lodge. She hopes some day to be a private secretary.

ROGER O. PAGE

"To every nobler virtue bred, and polished grace."

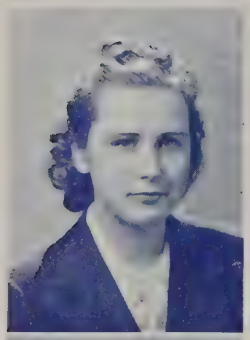
"Rog" came to L. H. S. in September at the beginning of his senior year. He has been on the Second and Third Honor Rolls throughout Fitchburg and Leominster High Schools. He selected the General Course to enable him to choose a variety of subjects. His favorite subjects have been Spanish and Science. While attending high school, he worked afternoons and Saturdays at Hope Rubber Co. and Pete's Jenney Service in Fitchburg. His favorite sports are skiing, fishing, hunting, and skating. He was a member of the L. H. S. Speech Club during 1942. The event he enjoyed most in Leominster High was the Interclass Play Contest.



VICTORIA M. PAGNOTTA

"The company seemed not to disapprove of me."

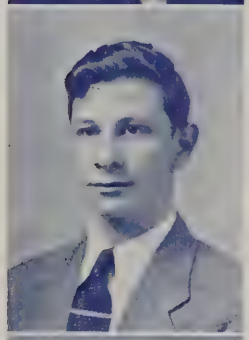
Victoria is better known to her friends as "Pag." She has taken the General Course all through high school. She has participated in all sports, such as volleyball, softball, basketball and hockey. Her favorite hobby is collecting pictures of band and orchestra leaders. "Pag" has been a member of the Speech Club in her senior year. She has been on the prom committees throughout her three years. In the outside world "Pag" is very fond of dancing. She has no plans for the future.



RUTH V. PALMER

"Her cheeks are like yon crimson gem."

Ruth Virginia Palmer, better known to her friends as "Ruthie," is a member of Speech Club. During her sophomore year she ushered for the Sophomore Play, "Liberty and Union." Ruth is taking the General Course and considers Human Relations her most helpful subject. She likes both popular and classical music. Ruth has worked as a bender at Tilton and Cooks. She hopes to go to Worcester Trade School where she will study hairdressing.



EDWARD J. PALUMBO

"An honest man's the noblest work of God."

During his three years in high school Edward, better known to his friends as "Eddie," had pursued the Commercial Course. His activities in school have included Band and Orchestra. The sports he has participated in have included track, interclass track, interclass hockey, and interclass basketball. He was a member of both Junior and Senior Prom committees. In his sophomore year he played a part in the pageant "Liberty and Union." Outside of school Eddie is interested in hunting and fishing. He also enjoys bicycling in the country. His plans for the future are to run a small diner and to live away from the city.

MARGARET PATTEN

"Young Peggy blooms our bonniest lass."

Peggy has taken the Classical Course during her three years in Leominster. Peg likes swimming and basketball for her favorite sports. She has been out for volleyball and basketball every year. Peggy has contributed three years of work to the "Magnet," which she has enjoyed. In her senior year, she joined the Girls' Glee Club. In her sophomore year she was a member of the band. Next year Peg plans to enter a Liberal Arts College. During her spare time, she tries her hand at cooking, which she finds most interesting. In Sterling she belongs to the Dramatic Club and Christian Endeavor, and has been a member of the Girl Scouts for six years. Peggy served on the Decoration Committees for the proms in her junior and senior years.

HERBERT PEASLEE

"But self-dependent power can time defy."

"Herb" first came to Leominster in 1936 and entered the Junior High School. He enjoys his school life but in particular likes to experiment with algebra. Although not an active participant in all forms of sport, he enjoys listening to and watching each one and thoroughly understands them. His favorite hobbies are stamp collecting and collecting emblems and symbols from the many roller skating rinks of the United States. He is particularly interested in playing basketball on roller skates and is a hearty participant in this sport. A lover of the outdoors, he may often be found following some secluded stream with a fishpole in hand or tramping the woods during the long winter hunting season. He takes extreme delight in making friends with strangers and has come to know a great many people from different states and surrounding districts.

ROBERT C. PICKFORD

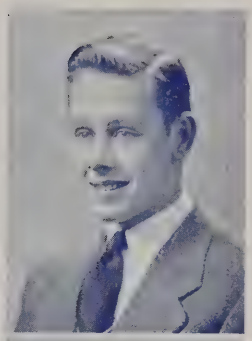
"As rocks resist the billows and the sky."

Robert C. Pickford — Bob for short — has studied the Classical Course all through school and plans to enter Fitchburg State Teachers' College in the fall. His greatest ambition is to be a naval aviator. The subject which he considers most valuable is trigonometry. Bob's favorite sports are swimming and hockey. For hobbies, he hunts and fishes. He is active in De Molay and is a member of the Christian Endeavor Society of his church. During his senior year, he was employed by the C. E. Buckley Company. The high school event which he enjoyed most was the Interclass Play Contest, which the seniors won, while his most memorable experience was being graduated from high school.

ARTHUR J. PIERCE

"Whate'er he did was done with so much ease."

Arthur Jameson Pierce, who is called "Art" or "A. J." by his friends, has taken the General Course since he came to the high school. His greatest ambition is to become a master mechanic at some large airport. After graduating, he intends to go to some aeronautical school, where he will study mechanics. He has taken part in 3 years of interclass basketball; he was in the Photography Club in his senior year, and his name has appeared several times on the Second and Third Honor Rolls. His favorite hobby is tinkering with motors or machinery of any kind. He worked at the Booth Tire Co., where he was a grease monkey, in his junior and part of his senior years but got through when he took a course in Defense Training at the Saxon Trade School. His favorite sport is ice hockey, at which he spends much of his spare time in the winter months. Outside of school he belongs to the De Molay boys' organization. The subjects he liked best are Physics and Human Relations.



ALPHONSE C. PIERMARINI

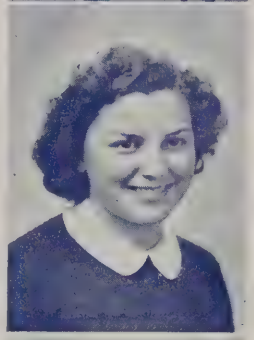
"A man of quality."

Alphonse's friends call him "Al." During his three years in high school, he has participated in all musical activities. He plays the piano and piano accordian besides playing other instruments just for the "kick" he gets out of them. He also is a composer and an arranger. During his sophomore year he arranged three of the hit tunes for the Junior musical comedy "Whatever the Weather," staged by the class of "41," and took a course in harmony at B. U. during the summer of that same year. In his junior year he arranged the Seniors' graduation march and all of the musical activities for his own class. Music has been his very life since the age of 5. He has been in the Band, Orchestra, and Choral Group and is talent scout for the T.M.S. He was also a chairman for a Prom committee in both his Junior and Senior years. His hobbies are reading, collecting records and jotting down in a diary ideas that come to his mind. His ambition is to become an orchestra leader or an orchestra's chief staff-arranger.

MALVINA T. PIERMARINI

"It's innocence and modesty that polishes the dart."

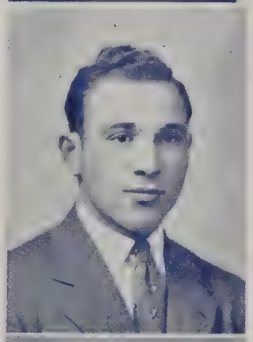
Malvina, better known as "Mal" has taken the Classical Course throughout her three years in high school. She has consistently been a member of the Honor Roll. Because of her high scholastic standing, she was an honorary junior member of the Fortnightly Club in her senior year. In her sophomore year "Mal" served on the "Magnet" staff as an advertising agent. She also was on the Makeup Committee for the Sophomore Pageant. In her junior year she was a member of the Health Club. In both her junior and senior years, she was on the Prom Decoration Committees. Reading mystery novels is Malvina's favorite pastime. Out of school, she enjoys bowling, bicycle riding, swimming, and driving. Malvina has taken the Classical Course with one definite goal in mind. After graduation she intends to take up nursing and will train at either the Burbank Hospital or the Worcester Memorial Hospital.



DIECO S. PIGNOTA

"A man's a man for a' that."

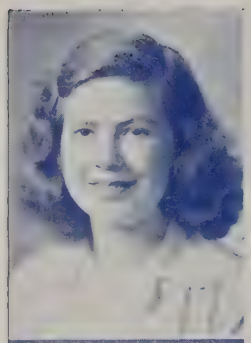
Dieco is otherwise known as the "Angel" or "Coach". His greatest ambition is like that of most high school boys, which is success after school. He was in the play "The Devil and Daniel Webster," which won the Interclass Contest in 1942. During his three high school years he participated in all the sports; such as, football, basketball, baseball, and track. He is taking the General Course and hopes to achieve enough in certain subjects to help him for the Air Corps of the United States. He has been active in homeroom offices, being attendance officer in his sophomore and junior years and vice-president in his senior year. Dieco belongs to an Italian society, which is an organization in Fitchburg. He has worked in various shops throughout his three years at school: The Great American Novelty, Commonwealth of Massachusetts Nursery, Wyndotte Modern Mill. He plans to enter Cushing Academy after graduation, if things turn out right.



FLORENCE J. POLLASTRI

"That I sincerely wish you well."

Florence is known to most of her friends by the nickname of "Flossy". Throughout her three years in high school she has taken the Commercial Course. She has been active in numerous sports, especially volleyball and softball. She likes to watch all sports, particularly football. In her sophomore year she took part in the Sophomore Pageant. In her junior and senior years she was on the Prom Committee. Her hobby is collecting pictures of movie stars. In her leisure time she likes to attend the movies. She hopes someday to be a telephone operator.



AGNES V. PORT

"All her faults were such that one loves her still the better for them."

Agnes took the General Course in high school. She made the third Honor Roll in her junior and senior years. Her greatest ambition is to become a good nurse. In her sophomore year, she ushered at the Sophomore Pageant. During her junior year she took part in the junior play, "Maid of Doremy", and during the same year she ushered at the Senior Reception. She worked on the play, "The Devil and Daniel Webster." She took part in the radio program in Worcester and also in several assemblies. In her Senior year she did a dramatic reading on the first recital-night program. Agnes was an active member of the Speech Club in her junior and senior years. She was also a Junior Member of the Fortnightly Club.

EDITH A. PRENCIPE

"Thou wert my guide, philosopher, and friend."

"Edie's" one ambition is to become a nurse; therefore, she has taken up the Classical Course in high school. She plans to go in training at the Cambridge Hospital this fall. During her high school years, Edie has never failed to make either the First or Second Honor Roll. In her sophomore year she ushered at the Sophomore Pageant, and in her junior year she ushered at the Interclass Play Contest. Edie has been an active member of the Speech Club since her junior year. In addition to being an honorary member of the Fortnightly Club, she is ex-venerable of the Girl's Leominster Junior Lodge, Order of Sons of Italy; and also a member of the New England Novelty Company's Bowling Team. During her junior and senior years Edie has been employed for afternoon work by the New England Novelty Company. Her hobbies are collecting souvenirs from various places she visits, and collecting post cards. She also enjoys driving. Edie claims that her most memorable experience while in high school was the incident in which she spilled nitric acid on her hand in the laboratory.

ARMAND B. PRUE

"A man he is to all the country dear."

Armand Bert Prue for short is called "Prunes." His greatest ambition is to become a technical engineer. He was an active member of the Photography Club in his senior year. During his sophomore year he took part in the play "Liberty and Union." During his three years he has taken part in track, football, basketball, and interclass baseball. Upon entering high school he took the Commercial Course; he changed to the General Course for his senior year. During his high school career he was a member of the Traffic Committee and the Senior Prom Committee. His hobbies are collecting records and pictures of the famous men in the sports world. Armand has worked for a contractor and is now employed by the First National Stores. His favorite outdoor sports are baseball and football; for indoor sports he likes basketball and bowling. Outside of school he is an assistant scoutmaster and a member of the Comets A. A.

KATHRYN L. REARDEN

"Blithe, blithe and merry was she."

Kathryn has been a student of the Commercial Course. She hopes to make a study of social service work after high school days are over. Kathryn is just "Kay" to her many friends. She is a great lover of sports, having participated in volleyball, tennis, and softball at school during her sophomore and junior years. Outside of school she is active in skiing, tennis, and skating. One of Kay's most memorable school experiences was the Better Speech Contest in 1940, at which she was awarded honorable mention. Her name has been found on the Honor Rolls during her entire three years at high school.

ADA REFRIGERI

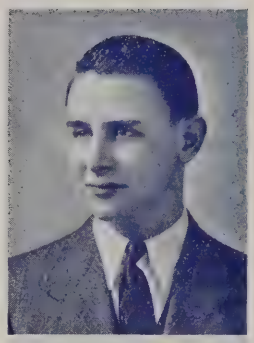
"Her care was never to offend."

Ada, better known to her friends as "Misty," has pursued the Commercial Course during her three years in the Leominster High school. During her sophomore and junior years she was a member of the Glee Club and took part in the operetta, "False Fernando" as well as other assemblies put on by the Glee Club. She has sung in the joint concerts both in Fitchburg and Leominster. During her sophomore year, she took part in the pageant, "Liberty and Union." Her name has appeared on the Honor Roll throughout her high school career. During her junior year, Ada was an honorary member of the Fortnightly Club. In her junior year she won third prize in Italian. While in high school she worked as a clerk in J. C. Penney Co., and as a typist in a local manufacturing concern. Her favorite hobbies are reading historical novels and collecting dog pins. Her favorite sports are baseball and swimming. Ada's greatest ambition is to become a private secretary.

NORMAN J. RHEAULT

"The social, friendly, honest man."

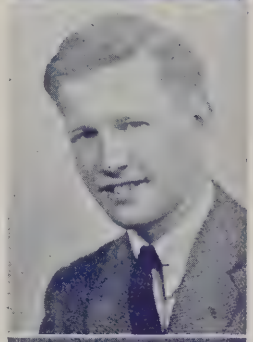
"Normie," as he is commonly known around school, has participated in many diversified activities. His sporting activities have included football and such interclass sports as basketball, baseball, hockey and track. During his three years of football he was one of the few members of the squad who played ten positions on the team. When a sophomore he was in Speech Club and played a role in "Liberty and Union." In his junior year he had a leading part in the prize-winning interclass play, "The Maid of Domremy." Also in his junior year he joined the French Club. He was cashier in the cafeteria. In his senior year he was appointed chairman of the lunchroom committee. His outside activities include membership in many church organizations. He is a member of the Auxiliary Fire Department. His ambition is to become a regular fireman or a reporter. He can be seen at all basketball games, keeping an account of the game for the Press.



CHARLES M. RICHARDSON

" 'Tis he fulfills great Nature's plan."

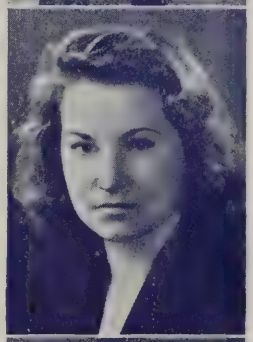
Charles Marsh Richardson, better known as "Charlie," has taken the Classical Course, making the Honor Roll every term. He was homeroom secretary during his junior year and a representative to the cabinet in his senior year. He plays the cornet in the band and orchestra, and this year he is manager or co-manager of both. In "The Devil and Daniel Webster" he played the part of the devil, and in the Better Speech Contest of 1941, and in plane geometry, he won first prize. His hobbies are radio and music, and he wants to be either a radio engineer or first trumpet player in a symphony orchestra. To prepare himself for these, he plans to attend Eastern Radio Institute immediately after graduation, work on radio "for the duration" and then go to college and study music. He likes good jokes, bicycling, and swimming. Outside of school, he is employed at E. B. Kingman Company and is Senior Patrol Leader of Troop 6, B. S. A. He is also active in the Christian Endeavor. His most valuable subjects he considers to be Physics, Algebra, and Trigonometry.



ELINOR RICHARDSON

"With manners wondrous winning."

Elinor Richardson better known as "El" to her friends, came from Fitchburg High School in her Senior Year. Her name has been seen on the Second Honor Roll. El has a very interesting hobby of collecting souvenirs from various places of interest, and placing them in scrap books of which she has many. In Fitchburg she belonged to many organizations and participated in many sports. El does much with music and drawing in her leisure time. She plans to further her studies at the Massachusetts School of Art.



PATRICIA M. RIST

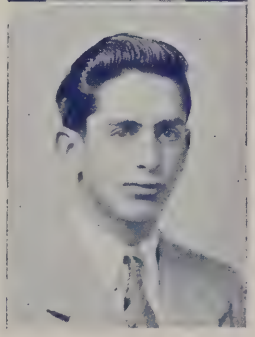
"Her lips are like a flower in May."

Patricia, or "Pat", as she is usually called by her friends, has taken the Classical Course and is planning to further her education as a dietician. She has been a prominent member of clubs. In her sophomore year she was a member of the Art Club, while in her junior year she belonged to the Art and French Clubs, and the volleyball team. Pat served on both the Junior and Senior Prom Committees. She has worked on the invitations for the proms and on the Business Management Committee. Her favorite sports are swimming, hiking, skating, and volleyball. She also likes to cook, in her spare time, as well as to read, and to attend the movies.

ADOLPH V. ROCCA

"I never was canny for hoarding o' money."

Adolph, who has pursued the Commercial Course while in high school, is better known to his friends as "Rock." He has been on the Honor Roll in his sophomore, junior, and senior years; and he is a member of the "Magnet" Board. In 1940 he ushered at the graduation of the Senior Class. He also was on Prom committees in both his junior and senior years. He has participated in interclass basketball and has been on the varsity squad. His favorite sports are basketball, football, baseball, swimming, and hockey. His favorite hobby is painting. He is now employed at the Western Union Office and will continue working there after graduation.



HELEN M. ROGERS

"She's fresher than the morning dawn
When dew-drops twinkle o'er the lawn."

After graduation, Helen plans to enter Stoneleigh College, where she will take a pre-nursing course prior to her entrance to the Boston General Hospital for surgical nursing. During her three years in high school she has been a member of the Art, French, Stamp and Sports Clubs. In her sophomore year she held the office of vice-president in her homeroom. Helen was chairman of the Invitation Committee for the Junior Prom and was on the Decoration Committee for the Senior Prom. In her junior year she ushered at the Senior Reception of the Class of 1941. Throughout high school she has participated in her favorite sports: field-hockey, volleyball, tennis, and softball. She pursued the Classical Course during her entire school career, and her name has appeared frequently on the Second Honor Roll. Outside of school her favorite sports are skiing, swimming, and surf-riding.

DOROTHY ST. DENIS

"Her lips so winning."

Dorothy is known to most of her friends as "Dennie". She studied the Commercial Course during high school, and she plans to enter Endicott Junior College next fall. During her sophomore year she took part in the Interclass Play. She was on the Reception Committee for the Junior and Senior Proms and ushered Parent's night. She was a member of the Bowling Club 3 and Speech Club 4. She is also an active member of St. Jean's Girls' Degree Team. Dennie's favorite pastime is knitting and collecting photographs. Her favorite sports are swimming, horseback riding, and football.

MARY A. SALADINI

"Good sense, which only is the gift from Heaven."

Mary Ann Saladini is one of the many students in the Leominster Senior High School. During her years in grammar school she acquired the nickname of "Cookie". It has remained with her throughout the years she has gone to school. The Speech Club is the club she likes the most, so in her Junior year she joined the Speech Club, and she still belongs to it. Because she liked so many hobbies and couldn't keep them all, she combined them in one large scrapbook which she calls her "Miscellaneous Scrapbook". Mary has taken the Classical Course during the three years she has been in high school. After she graduates she wants to become a dietician. The Fanny Farmer School of Cookery is her choice of school for furthering her education. Outside of school she belongs to The Junior Girls' Lodge of the Sons of Italy.

HERBERT SANBORN

"In him alone 'twas natural to please."

Herbert Sanborn, better known as "Zeke" to his friends and everybody around school, has taken the General Course for three years. He likes all kinds of sports, but his favorites are football and basketball. He was candidate for the football team in 1940 and also went out for basketball in the same year. For his hobbies he likes fooling around with electricity and reading books. After school and during the summer months he has worked at Allen's Greenhouse. When he graduates from high school he hopes to take up the sheetmetal trade and get a job at the Fore River Shipyards in Quincy.

NATALIE SAWYER

"Would seem quite gay."

Natalie Sawyer, better known to her friends as "Nat," has had one year of the Commercial Course and two of the General. She has participated in Speech Club activities for three years and was also a member of Press Club in her sophomore year. She was in the play "Elmer" for the sophomore party and ushered in her junior year for Interclass Play Contest. In her senior year she worked back stage at Interclass Play Contest. Her favorite sports are dancing, swimming and horseback riding. For her hobby she collects letters, her aim being to have them from all parts of the country, and she has quite a few. Outside of school she is a member of the Sterling Girl Scouts Troop No. 1, The Y. P. R. U. and L. I. S. She has worked during her senior year at the Sterling Cider and Vinegar Company. She would like to be governess, but with world conditions as they are, her plans for the future are incomplete.

GLADYS R. SENECAL

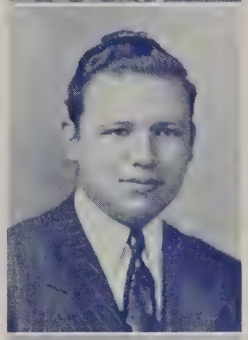
"The velvet of her heart."

Gladys Senecal, who is called "Senny" by her friends, has followed the Commercial Course throughout her three years at high school. As she is interested in all sports, she has been very active in athletics in high school. She belonged to the Outdoor Sports Club in her junior year. She was on the basketball team, the hockey team, the volleyball team and the softball team. She has played in the orchestra and has participated in the joint concerts with Fitchburg High. She was on the committees for the Junior Prom, the Senior Prom, and the Senior Play. Outside of school, Gladys is a member of the D. D. Club. Her hobby is collecting post cards from places she and her friends have visited. After graduation she plans to go to work.

HAROLD SENEE

"I am in haste to aid."

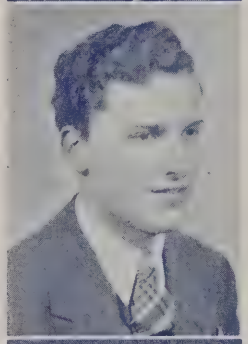
Harold is known to most of his friends as Junior or Chaw. He has taken the General Course ever since he entered the senior high school. In his junior year he took part in spring football, but, he was unable to continue in September because he was employed and thought that the money meant more to him than the glory of being a football hero. He has not had time to participate in many school activities because of the job he now holds. Outside of school he belongs to the Central St. Boys' Club. He is also chairman of this club. This club is known particularly for its ability to play almost any sport. It specializes in football, baseball and skiing. After leaving school, he would like to go to some aeronautical school to become an airplane mechanic.



ROBERT P. SENEE

"And one of them was mute."

Robert, during his three years in L. H. S., has been more commonly known as "Bob." Although he has neither held class offices nor taken part in any assemblies, he is still one of the "ice" chemistry students and manages to find his way to the top of the Honor Roll. He seems to have no particular hobby, although going to school may be classified as such. For six hours a day he attended L. H. S. and at the same time he has attended the vocational school where he has pursued a machinist's course. Baseball and football, in fact, almost all sports have been of great interest to him. He claims that the event which he enjoyed most was the class fight of '41. L. H. S. extends her wishes for success to the "quietest" member of the class of '42.



RUSSELL D. SHATTUCK

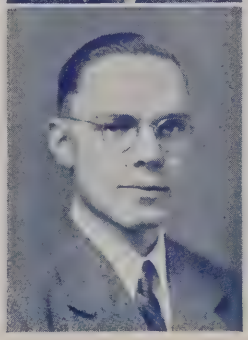
"And still they gazed, and still the wonder grew
That one small head could carry all he knew."

"Russ" or "Tuck" as he is sometimes called, has taken the Classical Course in high school. In his sophomore year he was in the Sophomore Pageant, and in the junior year he was a member of the track team and Speech Club. Activities outside of school, including work at the Leominster Enterprise Job Department and DeMolay, have kept him out of school activities except for the year book. He thinks Algebra and Physics will be of most value to him, especially if he realizes his ambition to join the Air Corps. Roller skating, hockey, and football are his favorite sports.

ROBERT A. SHOREY

"Bob is never rudely bold."

Robert Arthur Shorey, known to his friends as "Bob," has taken the Classical Course throughout his three years at Leominster High School. His name has frequently appeared on the Honor Roll. He does not have time to take part in many school activities; none the less he is a very busy senior. During his first year at L. H. S. he took part in the Sophomore Play. At present he is a tardy clerk. Every afternoon and Saturday he is busy working at the A. and P. Super Market. His hobbies are photography, drawing, and ornithology. After school he would like to further his knowledge of the last two subjects. Along the drawing and painting line, pastels are his specialty.



LOUIS SIMEONI

"With knowledge and wisdom."

Louis has been a student of the Classical Course in high school. He was an usher at graduation and a cashier at the football and basketball games, and he has been on the Second Honor Roll. One of his great pastimes is seeing and hearing famous dance bands. His favorite sports are baseball and basketball. The events that Louis enjoyed most were a performance of Bruce the Magician at Junior High and the Thursday morning sings in Senior High. The subjects which were of the greatest value to him were English and Latin. After graduation, Louis is planning to go to Holy Cross.

HELEN E. SMITH

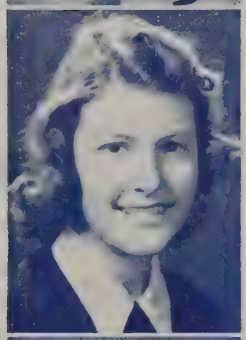
"Did sing most loud and clear."

Helen Smith, better known as "Smitty" by her friends, has taken the Classical Course throughout her three years in high school. She has been a member of four clubs; namely, the Girls' Glee Club, the Choral Club, the French Club and the International Club. Outside of school she has been an honorary junior member of the Fortnightly Club. Her greatest ambition is to master Denishawn dancing, for which she has a great fondness.

RICHARD SMITH

"I'll take what heaven will send me."

Richard Smith, whose nickname is "Cy", has studied the Classical Course. In his junior year he took part in the teachers' play, "Bachelor Born." While Cy's favorite sports are swimming and football, he is also interested in philately. He has a collection of stamps, some of which are quite valuable. Cy made the Honor Roll in his sophomore, junior, and senior years and was secretary of his home room in his sophomore and senior years. After the football season of 1941, Cy went to work at the Standard Tool Company. He plans to attend Williams College after graduation. His greatest ambition is to become a doctor.



JEAN R. SPETTIGUE

"A glimpse of joy that shall shine forever."

Jean Roberta Spettigue ("Jeanie") has studied the Classical Course while in Leominster High School. She has always been very much interested in music, drawing, and writing, and while in high school belonged to the orchestra 2, 3, 4, and "Magnet" club 4, and was accompanist to the Choral Club. In grades 10, 11, and 12 she played the piano in assemblies. Her name was on the Honor Roll 2, 3, 4. She feels that Chemistry, of all her studies, has been most valuable to her. In grades 10 and 11 she was vice-president of her homeroom. In grade 11 she was an usher at the Senior Reception. She is a member of the Pilgrim Church where she belongs to the choir and the Young People's Group. This year she was an honorary member of the Fortnightly Club.

EVA A. SPRING

"Her hours were meant for sports."

Eva is better known to her friends by her nickname "Spring." Throughout her three years in high school she has taken the Commercial Course. Her ambition is to become a bookkeeper. Her most valuable and enjoyable subject was bookkeeping. She has proved her skill in athletics by obtaining her numerals and letters all three years. In her junior year, she was a member of The Girls' Outdoor Sports Club. In her senior year she became a member of the Bowling Club. She has participated in basketball, softball, volleyball, field hockey, tennis, track, and bowling. Her favorite sports are basketball, softball, skating, and hiking. Her most memorable experience in high school was the winning of the basketball championship by the girls' team, which she captained. She was an usher at the Sophomore Pageant, and during her junior and senior years served on various committees for the Proms.

RITA STACEY

"The favors she bestows."

Rita or "Starchey," as she is very often called by her intimate friends, has followed the Commercial Course. In her junior and senior years in high school her name has frequently appeared on the Honor Roll. In 1939-1940 she was a member of the Speech Club. She also appeared in "Liberty and Union," presented by the class of '42 in its sophomore year. Her activities include ice skating, bicycling, hiking, and dancing. Her hobby is collecting junk jewelry. Rita's favorite sports are volleyball and ice skating. Her plans for the future include entering an office either as a bookkeeper or a telephone operator.

MARGARET M. SULLIVAN

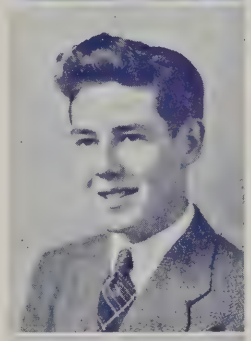
"Excels ten thousand mercenary deeds."

Madge, as she is usually called, takes the Classical Course at our high school. In her junior year she was on the "Magnet" staff and also was a member of the Book Club. Although she did not act in any play during her high school days, she has assisted backstage. She helped at the Sophomore Pageant and has worked backstage at several assemblies. The subject she likes most and which is of most value to her is history. She would like to teach history after graduation from Fitchburg State Teachers' College and Simmons. Among her numerous hobbies are drawing and writing stories and articles. After writing a story, she likes to draw sketches of the characters in her story. Another fascinating hobby of Madge's is her collection of various items from places where she has been. She also has a collection of glass and chinaware from many countries in the world. She has made the Second Honor Roll every year.

J. FRANCIS SWEENEY

"Thus let me live, unseen, unknown."

Francis, "Deeney" to his intimate associates, has taken a mixed course composed of Classical subjects. He has been actively engaged in several activities during his three years at Leominster High School. He was a member of the track team and has participated in interclass track, intra-mural hockey, and basketball. He has served on both Junior and Senior Prom Committees. In his senior year Francis was chairman of the school's traffic and lunch room committee. He is a member of the International Club. U. S. history and physics have been two of his best-liked subjects. His hobbies are stamp collecting and photography. He is an ardent sports enthusiast, being a follower of all types of indoor and outdoor sports. After school he is employed at the Wachusett Shirt Company. His greatest ambition is to do some type of technical work, preferably aeronautical engineering.



ANTONETTA TATA

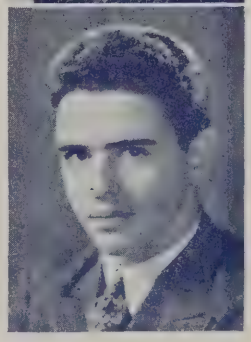
"Faithful, generous and sincere."

Antonetta Tata, known to most of her classmates as "Toni," entered Leominster High School in the fall of 1939. She started her high school days with the Commercial Course and with the ambition of becoming a stenographer after graduation. In her sophomore and junior years she was a member of the International Club and Band; and in her senior year, a member of the Speech Club. In her senior year her name appeared frequently on the Honor Roll. During her three years at high school, she helped on various committees and ushered at various proms and plays. During her school years she worked at several factories after school but always had her homework ready to hand in the following morning. Her favorite sport is basketball, and the subjects she liked best, and the ones she believes will be of most value to her, are shorthand and typing.

STANLEY L. THARLER

"With wisdom in mind."

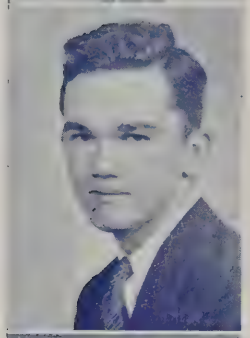
Three years in high school have brought Stan two memorable experiences. The first and probably the biggest thrill was his when he was awarded the American Legion Medal for his essay about democracy during his junior year. He was a participant in Better Speech Contest in his sophomore year and again in his senior year, at which time he was given honorable mention for the evening. He was a member of Speech Club's debate team in his first year of high school. He has always held some office in his homeroom. He was a rather inactive member of our 1941 tennis team because work called him away from practice as well as from other extra-curricular activities. However, it has not prevented him from being a consistent member of the Honor Roll. Stan finds that the uncertain conditions today have made it rather difficult to plan his future and therefore he is quite undecided about his plans.



JEAN F. THOMPSON

"The sweetness of a lady fair."

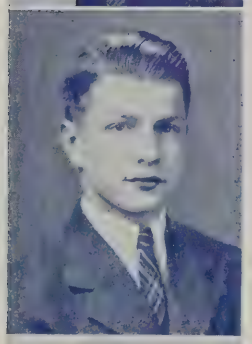
Jean Frances Thompson, usually called "Jeanie" by most of her friends, is a member of the Classical Course. When she was a sophomore, she was a member of the Glee, Speech and Choral Clubs; in her junior year, she joined the Press and Radio Clubs, besides the Glee and Choral Clubs; and in her senior year, she became secretary and treasurer of the Glee Club, president of the Choral Club, and secretary of the Student Cabinet. During her junior and senior years, she has taken part in several sports; namely, volleyball, tennis, and basketball. Her favorites are playing tennis, dancing, and watching football games. For activities outside of school, Jean works for F. W. Woolworth Co. She attended a musical festival in Provincetown, Massachusetts, and was an honorary junior member of the Fortnightly Club. She was vice-president and cabinet representative for her homeroom, and during her years in school, she has been a constant member of the Honor Roll. Next year she plans to enter Fitchburg State Teachers' College.



WILLIAM B. THOMPSON

"I do admire of womankind but one."

William Thompson, nick-named "Bill," has held the offices of president of his homeroom and the president of the Ski Club in his senior year. Although he works at the Commonwealth Plastic in the afternoon, Bill has found time to take an active part in his favorite sports; football and golf. He has participated in football for three years and on the track team for two years. He has studied the Classical Course all through his high school career and is planning, upon graduation, to attend an academy prior to entering college. Bill's ambition is to be an engineer; he has found mathematics his most valuable subject.



G. LORING THURLOW

"Therefore it shall be done"

Loring Thurlow has taken the Classical Course throughout high school. He belonged to the International Club in his sophomore year. As a junior, Loring was assistant editor of the "Magnet," while in his senior year he was editor in chief. He was in the cast of the Sophomore Pageant, "Liberty and Union." He has made the Honor Roll throughout high school and was an usher at the last two graduations. Loring played interclass basketball in his junior year and worked on the football and basketball scoreboards this year. He is a member of the Order of DeMolay. Outside of school, he has worked at the Leominster Enterprise for three years. Loring's favorite sports are football, basketball, and baseball. He also enjoys collecting stamps. He plans to enter Yale and hopes to become a journalist.

VINCENT P. TIBERIO

"With a smile and a song."

Vincent, better known to you as Sharkey, Tibby, or Jimmy, has taken the General Course in school. His greatest ambition is to play the sax in some name band (probably Miller). When a wee sophomore he sang base and baritone with the Glee Club. He has taken part in interclass hockey, baskeball, and track. Sharkey's hobbies are collecting records and autographs of the country's leading orchestras. Like many others, he took a Defense Course at the Saxton school and hopes to enter Worcester Trade School. His favorite sports are basketball, skiing, skating, swimming, and horseback riding. His most memorable experience while in high school was having his shirt torn in class by one of his buddies (J. R.).

CARL LE ROY TIBERY

"Tried to say a witty thing or two."

Carl Tibery has pursued the Classical Course through his high school career. In his sophomore year, he joined the business staff of the "Magnet." In his junior year, he was promoted to assistant business manager of the "Magnet." Later he was the first Junior who has ever been business manager of the "Magnet" and who has financed a Senior class book. In his sophomore year, he was awarded second prize for execllence in Plane Geometry. In his senior year, he still held the position of business manager of the "Magnet," along with being elected treasurer of the Speech Club, and chairman of the Business Board and also a member of the Executive Board of the French Club. He played the part of the fiddler in the Senior Interclass Play Contest. As for sports he was out for the football and track teams. He would like to go to a military academy before going to college. His greatest ambition is to be a professor of chemistry and physics in some large college.

IRENE C. TOURIGNY

"An emblem of health."

Irene has pursued the Commercial Course during her three years in high school. While a sophomore she was in the Speech Club, and during her junior year, she joined the Book Club. Also, during her sophomore year, she was in the class pageant. She has held the office of vice-president of her homeroom during her senior year, and her name has appeared on the Honor Roll throughout high school. She was a member of the Senior Prom Committee. Her plans for the future are as yet incomplete. Designing and sketching are her favorite hobbies. While in school she has been employed afternoons in the office of the United Comb and Novelty Company. Stenography and typing are the subjects she considers of most value to her. After graduation, Irene plans to become a private secretary.

DOROTHY M. TUCKER

"Still shining."

Although "Tucky" has been here only for her senior year, she has made great progress. Her greatest ambition, she claims, is to be a "Blues Singer," and she has entertained at various "Sings" during the year. Time does not permit her to be present at club meetings; consequently, they are left out in the cold. Coming from Clinton (Our Enemies?), she has pursued a General Course and hopes directly after school to enter the Telephone Business. Everything seems to be taken in her stride, the good as well as bad, but her favorite hobby is studying History. (We wonder if Mr. Burnham agrees.) Regularly on Sunday afternoon she goes to her favorite sport, roller skating. She takes the bumps and takes them hard, but who cares! She'll reach the top, and L. H. S. wishes her all the luck in the world.

WILLIAM W. VINAL

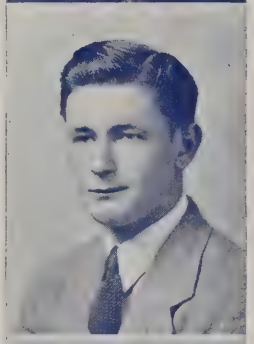
"Had we his wisdom."

William Vinal is better known to most as "Bill." His greatest ambition is to become an aeronautical engineer. He took part in the Sophomore Pageant and in his sophomore and junior years and was an ardent tennis enthusiast. He has made the second and third Honor Rolls at various times and is now studying the Classical Course. He plans to enter some college of engineering. One of his hobbies is breeding and raising homing pigeons. Since he has been in high school he has worked at Derby's farm and at C. E. Buckley Co., plastic manufacturers, where he is still working. Bill's favorite sports are hockey, skiing, and tennis. Outside of school Bill is an officer in the Leominster chapter Order of DeMolay. Bill feels that of all the subjects he has taken in high school, Math has been the most valuable.

RICHARD V. VORSE

"Nor shall my sword sleep in my hand."

Richard is known to his classmates as "Bo." His greatest ambition is to join the U. S. Navy. While at Leominster High he played baseball, football, and basketball in all three years. He has taken the General Course each year. In his junior year he was chairman of his homeroom. His hobby is saving photographs of football and baseball players. While in high school he worked in the First National. The most memorable experience he ever had was the class fight of forty-one. His favorite sports are baseball, football, basketball, hockey, and swimming. His favorite subjects are Cultural French and English. His reason for this is that the teachers he has in these two classes have a certain way of teaching that interests him. He has enjoyed dancing in the gym and "Monday Morning Sings."



DOROTHY L. WARD

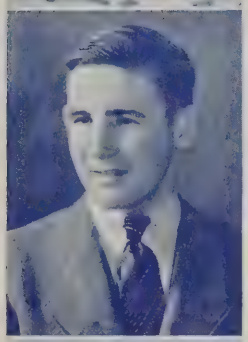
"Free from every terror."

Dorothy Ward entered Leominster High School in 1939. In her sophomore year she belonged to the Bowling Club. She also took part in the Sophomore Pageant given at the City Hall. During her junior year she belonged to the Speech Club. She took part in the Better Speech Contest of Local Schools held in the high school. She was an usher at the Interclass plays given at the Junior High School. In her senior year she belonged to the Posture Club and the Speech Club. She was prop and costume chairman for the play given at the Sophomore Party. She was property manager for the Interclass Plays held at the Rialto Theater. She was on the Decoration Committee for the Senior Prom. She has as a hobby the collecting of souvenirs of places she has visited. She has kept a scrapbook of these things since 1935. Her favorite sports are swimming, tennis, horseback riding, and target shooting. This fall she plans to enter the University of Tennessee. Here she intends to major in Interior Decoration.

JEAN C. WARNER

"Grateful and useful in all she does."

Jean, otherwise known to her friends as "Jeannie," has been a member of the Art Club all three years of her stay at Leominster High School. In her sophomore year she was a member of the Stamp Club. She won second prize in the Leominster Hospital poster contest in her junior year, and in her senior year she was president of the Art Club. She took the Classical Course her sophomore and junior years, transferring to the General Course at the beginning of her senior year. Her greatest ambition is to be a costume designer and illustrator. Skating and swimming are her favorite sports. Her favorite pastimes are reading and drawing. She is a member of the Christian Endeavor Society of Sterling. This September she hopes to enter one of the better known schools of fashion in Boston or vicinity.



ALBERT E. WEAVER

"His virtue is his pride."

Albert, known to his friends as "Al," has taken the Commercial Course throughout his three years in high school. In school "Al" participated in such sports as Interclass basketball and Interclass track. He was a member of the high school track team. During these three years he has appeared on the Honor Roll and has participated in many activities. He was an usher at the graduation exercises and the Reception for the Class of '41. He was also chairman of the score-board at Doyle Field and at the Junior High School gym. Outside of school "Al" is a very active member of the "Comets" A. A. His favorite indoor sports are billiards and ping-pong. His favorite subject is typewriting. During his senior year he has been working at the Boston Confectionery Store. His one ambition is to enter the U. S. Navy as a machinist's mate.

ELAINE R. WEINBAUM

"Beauty, elegance and gace combined."

Elaine, better known as "E. W." to her friends, has been studying the Commercial Course during her three years at L. H. S. She has made honors during that time and is, therefore, a member of the Fortnightly Club. She has been a member of Speech Club and Glee Club and has participated in many events in connection with these clubs. In her sophomore year, she was a member of the cast of the Sophomore Pageant; in her junior year she participated in Better Speech Contest and during her senior year she was in the cast of the "Devil and Daniel Webster." Senior play entry in the Interclass Play Contest. Advertising Committee for the Junior Prom, Decoration Committee for the Senior Prom, Head Usher at Interclass Play Contest of '41, and Interclass Play Contest Committee in '42 occupied a good deal of her time. Among other things, Elaine likes dramatics, reading, swimming, bicycling, music and hot fudge sundaes; therefore she spends a good deal of her time in pursuance thereof. Now she leaves L. H. S. with a good many fond memories and looks forward to the future.

MURIEL R. WEINBAUM

"Genteel in figure, easy in address

Muriel Rhoda Weinbaum, better known as "Mew," has been a resident of Leominster for six years. When she moved here from New York City, she entered the Leominster Junior High School and took the Classical Course, which she has pursued since that time. She has participated in many extra-curricular activities, having belonged to the Glee Club, Speech Club, and Orchestra. In her sophomore year she had the leading role in the Sophomore Pageant, "Liberty and Union." Participating in the joint concert, being usher at the Interclass Play Contest, being chairman for the Program Committee of various Speech Club enterprises and entertaining at the Sophomore Party have kept her quite busy. Having made the Honor Roll frequently, she became an honorary member of the Fortnightly Club. So far her future is uncertain but her preference is something in the field of music.

BARBARA A. WHITEHEAD

"Her fame soon spread around."

Barbara Whitehead, usually called "Barbie," entered Leominster High School in her senior year. She formerly lived in Weymouth where she studied the Classical Course at Weymouth High School. There she belonged to Book Club and Press Club in her sophomore year and was on the Junior Class Outing Committee. She was also on the staff of the school paper, the "Reflector," in her sophomore and junior years. In Leominster she joined the French Club and the Ski Club and was co-director of the Senior play. She will always remember her first Leominster High football game. Her favorite pastimes are skiing, sailing and dancing. She plans to go to junior college and hopes to become a very efficient business woman.

ESTHER WOODS

"The fair round face."

Esther Woods, "Essy," was a member of the Leominster High School Band and the Speech Club in 1939-40, a member of the same clubs in 1940-41, and also in 1941-42. Esther played a roll in "The Devil and Daniel Webster" in 1942. She has made the Second Honor Roll every year. She was the property manager of the Interclass Plays in both 1940 and 1941, a timer at the National Forensic League meeting in 1940, chairman of the Refreshment Committee for her Junior and Senior proms, a character in the radio script "Johnny Appleseed," and publicity manager of the band in 1941 and 1942. Her hobby is collecting small pins and small glass or china animals. Esther's favorite sports are skiing, ice skating, camping, and canoeing. As for outside activities, she is a member of Senior Girl Scout Troop 10 and the Young Women's Society for Christian Service. The subject of most value to Esther during her three years in High School was Geometry. She took the Commercial Course in her sophomore and junior years and has just completed her senior year in the Classical Course. Esther plans to attend Fitchburg State Teachers' College.

JUANITA C. WOODS

"She shares the joys she creates."

Juanita Woods, also known as Jacky, has taken the General Course all through high school. During her sophomore year she took part in a pageant, "Liberty and Union." Her favorite sport is roller skating, and she enjoys swing music. Juanita considers Public Speaking the most helpful of her studies. After graduation she plans on taking up Blue Print Reading.

MARION L. ZWICKER

"Yet now she will succeed."

"Zwick," as she is called by her friends, has taken the Commercial Course throughout her years in high school. Her greatest ambition is to become a good dress designer. After graduation she would like to attend the New England School of Design. Her hobbies are numerous, but the one she finds most interesting is her collection of horse novelties. She started this collection during her senior year when she became interested in horses. During her junior year she was president of the Book Club, and she has been a member of the International Friendship League ever since it was first formed about five years ago. The incident most memorable to her was the occasion when Mr. Jones from Hull, England, spoke at an assembly. She was interested because she writes to a girl in Hull. Her class fight last year was the event she enjoyed most, even though her class lost.

MARIE E. MATTHEWS

"Thy golden beams of joyful light, my Marie."

Marie took the Classical Course throughout her three years in high school. Her favorite subject is English. She believes it will be of more value to her than any other subject she studied because whatever she does and wherever she goes she will need to be able to speak and write English correctly. Because she has been interested in all forms of public speaking since she first started attending school, Marie belonged to Speech Club during her three years in high school. In her sophomore year she was a member of the cast of "Liberty and Union," a pageant presented for the benefit of English children. During her junior year she took part in a humorous play presented before the Daughters of Isabella. In this same year she had the honor of being chosen best actress at Interclass Play Contest. Marie's favorite sports are swimming, skating and dancing.

1930 to 1942

That selfsame war had entered its second year when we were beckoned back to school. I could say we answered the call gleefully, happy to be Juniors, but I won't, for I want this to be as truthful and accurate a report as possible.

We soon fell into the routine of things. There were football games every Saturday, and the school seemed to hum every Monday with talk of how the game should have been played and where the coach made his big mistake. But it was all in fun, for that year we had a good team whose lineup was well represented by the Junior class.

This was 1940, the year of our great presidential elections. The world waited intent for the results. The future of America might hang in the balance as each vote was cast. But Roosevelt did it again and became our first third term president.

Meanwhile, at L. H. S. we were doing a little electing ourselves but not quite with the same results. Frank De Pasquale failed to gain a second term and retired in favor of Jack Curley, and Liz Henriques took over the vice presidency; but Tom Kilcoyne and Rita Discoe survived the cabinet shake up and remained in the capacity of secretary and treasurer respectively.

While our Junior boys were busy losing every inter-mural event that presented itself, the girls again took matters in hand and captured the volleyball and softball championships with teams captained by Joan Killelea and Eva Spring.

However, we really showed that we had the stuff to win during the interclass play contest. When the final results were tabulated, the Junior class had come off on top, not only by having the best play of the evening but also the best actress, Marie Mathews. The play, "Maid of Domremy," and the entire cast went on to represent the school in the state dramatic competition.

May 16 and our first prom! The evening was fair and fragrant, the hall colorfully decorated, and the music, soft and lilting. In general, a good time was had by all, but, mercenary class that we are, we would have liked to see a little more of that "green stuff" come rolling in.

We decided to have our Senior officers elected before vacation; consequently another election found another shake up. And this democratic revolution found Robert Cormier, president; Liz Henriques, vice president; Dewey Cole, secretary; and Barbara Lavin, treasurer.

Historians always seem to diplomatically brevify th ir own shortcomings; therefore, let us discreetly and demurely pass over our first class fight — with the comment that the weather was fair; the attendance, good, and casualties, few.

The weeks of vacation slipped by in their eternal race of time, and school opened on the third of September, accompanied by loud complaints that Roosevelt ought to do something about Labor Day. We watched our team play every Saturday, for it was truly our team, from end to end, and all through the back field, — Seniors, all. And we were more proud of their 14-13 defeat by Lynn than of their overwhelming victories over Gardner and Clinton. But we lost to Fitchburg, so the season was termed a failure.

However, even before the disaster at Doyle Field, our class won praise and recognition, when our speakers completely swept the field of competition at the Better Speech Contest. Medals of honor were presented to Charles Richardson and Marilyn Brotheim as we took all three places for the evening.

And the Senior prom also helped to take our minds off the Thanksgiving game. We were blessed with a beautiful late autumn evening which supplemented the colorful decorations and pleasing music. The crowd pitched in and had a grand time in their efforts to simulate an old fashion square dance. (P. S. — Still short on the silver certificates.)

But now football and proms were done, and each weekend brought us nearer to Christmas vacation. At least, that is what most of us were thinking as we left school on Friday, the fifth of December. But that weekend brought us all nearer to fate. When we returned on Monday there was tension in the air and a seriousness more profound than we had ever known, as we sat in the assembly hall and heard President Roosevelt deliver his brief, concise declaration of war upon Japan. And now the war was with us.

But save for a few enjoyable air raid drills, school activities continued as usual and plans were made by the Seniors to stage one of the biggest undertakings any class had ever attempted for the Interclass Play Contest. The large cast worked feverishly in rehearsals, and their ambition was duly rewarded when "The Devil and Daniel Webster" won first place at the contest. This marked the second consecutive year in which our class came out on top.

Then came our class play, and here the war showed its effect. It has always been a policy to include as many members of the class as possible in Senior play, but the supply of talent was drastically reduced because so many of our classmates were working afternoons. However, one tradition was maintained, that of presenting a new and original play. Our class produced "The World Is With Us," which marked the premier performance of that play in this country.

Our thoughts now turned to graduation. As we sat listening to the programs, we noticed hushed sadness throughout the audience. And as we watched each classmate receive his diploma in turn, we recalled the words of Virgil, which we had labored to translate, "Hic labor extremus, haec viarum meta longarum" (This is the final toil, the end of the long journey). For many, school days are over. Friends whom we have known so long are now departed, each to his own task. But then we must not think of graduation as the end, for, in reality, it is the beginning of that long journey down the highway of life.

CLASS WILL

We, the Class of 1942 at Leominster High School, in the County of Worcester, and State of Massachusetts, being of sound mind and disposing memory, do make, ordain, publish, and declare this to be our Last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all former Wills, and Codicils by us made.

Paul Algier leaves high school for good.
Richard Altobelli leaves the faculty with a break.
Anne Amorosi leaves her cute hair style to Ellen Crowley.
Jerolyn Appleton leaves her job as cashier to a good mathematician.
Mary Ashe leaves her Fitchburg boy friends to whoever can get them.
John Ashton leaves his burned Ford to the Government for scrap metal.

Norman Basque leaves Frank DeCarolis his seat in Algebra.
Robert Beauregard leaves his golden voiced trumpet to Eugene Carrescia.
Vincent Bilotta leaves Kathleen Becrelis without a "blotta".
Constance Bird leaves her place in the Cafeteria to Hester Ward.
Alba Bisceglia leaves her stature to Betty Lou Gale.
Evelyne Blanchard leaves her sweet personality to her sister Erma.

Cecile Bolduc leaves more pupils waiting in line at the lunch counter.
Lorraine Bonin bequeaths her demureness to Eleanor Campbell.
William Bonville leaves school to take to the air.
Gladys Bouvier leaves Mr. Burnham without a noise.

Marilyn Brotheim wills her dramatic skill to Judy Britton.
Betty Brown leaves her dancing ability to Doris Bourgoin.
Myrtle Brown leaves her place at the cafeteria to Thelma Bailey.
To George Cruickshank, Beverly Buck leaves her oratorical ability.
Donald Campbell leaves his sister to ride to school alone.

George Carchidi leaves Fred Busky to do the cheering.
Howard Carey wills his quiet ways to Frances LaRose.
Marjorie Carter leaves her F & L tickets to Mary Coughlin.
Delvina Casacca leaves her tranquility to her sister Marie.
Louise Chase leaves Mr. Drury minus a swell editor.

Bernice Chesbrough bequeaths her blue eyes to Beverly Martin.
Tony Chiurri leaves to become a mechanic.
Dewey Cole leaves Barbara Damon with memories, but they won't be the last
Doris Collette leaves school to become a stenographer.
Rita Comeau leaves her pretty dimples to Bernice Tuttle.

To Mary Piermarini, Russell Cook leaves his history-mindedness.
Robert Cormier wills his acting ability to George Cruickshank.
Ruth Cosseboom wills her petiteness to Mae Falk.
To the Faculty, and to Mr. Burnham in particular, Kenneth Cummings leaves a serene atmosphere
Irene Cunningham leaves to join Bob.

Jack Curley leaves Jane O'Toole his football.
To Dorothy Mason, Grace Curry wills her "Maizie" appearance.
Connie Dandini leaves the school with the memory of her pretty smile.

Kay Darcy leaves her job in the 5 and 10 to Bernice Brion.

Dick DeCarolis leaves his dancing feet to Jimmy Pritchard.

Frank Del Guidice leaves without cigarettes.

Rachell DeLisle leaves her clothes to her sister Georgette.

Sam Della Chiare wills his basketball to Jim Buckley.

Frank De Pasquale leaves his arguing ability to Luigi Cannovino.

John DiLibro leaves his charms for the girls to remember.

Arlene Desmond leaves her basketball ability to Clare Sesseville.

Bernice Di Giovanni leaves her cheerfulness to Marcia Doyle.

Lidio De Nardo leaves his sunny disposition to Antonetta D'Onfro.

Olga DiNardo wills her personality and circle of friends to Dot Glasheen.

Bruno Di Pace leaves his brother to ride to school alone.

To Dexter Manzer, Elio Paoli wills his technique with the pig-skin.

Rosy Di Pillo bequeaths her inviting ways to Kitty Maggi.

Helen Dressler leaves to be a bookkeeper.

Martha Dressler leaves to compete with her sister.

Henry Dunwoody leaves five minutes ahead of schedule. Ah! Mr. Donnelly.

Lawrence Eaton leaves his curls to Bob Colcord.
Pauline Eisner leaves her artistic ability to Mary Gizzi.
Joyce Ellis leaves Emily Caisse without a sidekick.
Ray Emery bequeaths his enviable skill (??) in Human Relations to Tiger Roberson.
Elaine Evans leaves her twin, Jean Roberts, her love for St. Bernard's boys.
Bessy Fiffy leaves school with Joyce.
Mario Fini bequeaths his dramatic ability, his looks, and dashing ability to anyone who can fill the description.
Cecelia Flanagan leaves her delicate ways to Phyllis Spettigue.
Ruth Foster wills her megaphone to Doris Bourgoin.
Rose Franciose leaves school with Grace.
Doris Friske leaves Jeanette La Combe without a buddy.
Phyllis Gagnon leaves her seat next to Ray Gerard to another fortunate girl.
Fred Garrity wills his swell personality to John Lowe.
Ruth Gillis leaves school to join Jimmy.
Anna Gizzi leaves her car and her license to Mary, her sister.
Marie Goodale leaves her ability to get a pair of wings to Ruth Sawin.
Betty Goodwin leaves her title of "Farmer" to Nancy Lambert.
Flora Gould leaves her long hair to Ann De Nardo.
Henry Gould leaves his height to Bob Wesley.
Nancy Green leaves her sister to fill her place in the Orchestra.
Eileen Haley leaves her sweet personality to Dot Lavoie.
John Hankard leaves school with a broken heart. ? ? ? ? ?
Arline Hanson leaves her cello to someone who can cope with it.
Nat Harrington leaves her beautiful eyes to Arline Casey.
Bill Hart bequeaths his wit to Fred Johnson.
Libby Henriques leaves a certain Bill without a sweetheart.
Kenneth Hitchcock leaves for Sterling.
Bev Hiltz leaves Mr. Rogers without a buddy.
Corinne Hiltz leaves her dainty ways to Judith Britton.
Dick Howard leaves his red hair to Dexter Gowdy.
Lucille Hume leaves her quiet smile to Anna Tuttle.
Charlotte James leaves everything she's got, except Roger, to Pat Phillips.
Shirley Johnson leaves the boys alone.
Pauline Joy leaves school to join Ralph.
Leo Kershaw leaves his couch at Nixon's to Tiger Roberson.
Tom Kilcoyne leaves school to enjoy himself.
Joan Killelea leaves her friendly personality to Arline Casey.
Barbara Kingsbury leaves her singing talent to Betty Baer.
Lorne Lagoy leaves school to continue his hunting. (For what?)
John Lambert leaves Miss Colley without a problem child.
Lillian Lamoreaux leaves her sweetness to alleviate the sugar shortage.
Dennis Lamy leaves school to continue his job at the First National.
Ray La Pierre leaves school to follow in his father's footsteps.
Barbara Lavin leaves that cute twinkle in her eye to Joan Cronin.
Bill Lawler leaves the girls alone (maybe).
Emery Legere leaves his tumbling ability to Tony Cosenza.
Thelma MacGillvray wills her good-naturedness to Alice Malone.
Theresa Malo leaves to meet Paul.
Connie Maroni leaves her gift of gab to Betty Lou Gale.
Marion Martel departs to become a future teacher.
Doris Martin leaves L.H.S. to become a blushing bride.
Jean McAskill leaves her shyness to Doris George.
Alfred McCaffrey leaves his vocabulary to Gino Salvatore.
Betty McDowell leaves Mary Grogan without a special friend.
John McNaney wills his humorous verse to Clifton Tisdale.
Russell Miller bequeaths his cuteness to Russ Hemingway.

Margaret Mino leaves school to conquer her shyness.
Theresa Morin leaves her stationery counter visitors (?) to Gloria Cormier.
Ruth Morse leaves her place in the lab to some ambitious junior.
Ruth Nimee leaves her talkativeness to Jean Maylin.

Edward O'Neil leaves L.H.S. without a Robert Taylor.
Eleanor Ordway leaves her Deanna Durbin smile to any junior who looks like Deanna Durbin.
Lucille Ouillette leaves Mr. Rogers without a sparring partner????
Bernard Padonle leaves his businessman manner to George Cruikshank.

Grace Padavano leaves her golden voice to Helen Smith.
Roger Page wills his smoothness to Vernon Gelinas.
Victoria Pagnotta leaves the car barn to Grace De Pasquale.
Ruth Palmer leaves her job at the cafeteria to Mae Howard.

Edward Palumbo leaves school with a certain girl in Room 2.
Peggy Patten leaves her cosmopolitan manner to some of her Sterling friends.
To Bob Triggs, Herbert Peaslee bequeaths his love for roller skating.
Bob Pickford wills his quiet voice to the Sophomores in general.

Arthur Pierce leaves his Fitchburg girl friends to Bill Scully (I doubt it).
Alphonse Piermarini leaves his super-collosal musical talent to Eugene Carrescia.
Malvina Piermarini wills her dimples to Barbara Smith.
Dieco Pignatta leaves his football ability to Don Conway.

Florence Pollastri leaves school with Eva.
Agnes Port leaves her art of roller skating to Madge Woodcock.
Edith Prencipe leaves nitric acid to some unfortunate junior.
Armand Prue leaves with Kenneth Cummings.

Kathryn Reardon leaves for Summer Street in Fitchburg.
Ada Refrigeri leaves her beautiful black hair to Auroro Funori.
Norman Rheault leaves Mr. Broderick without a man to take 12 position.
Charles Richardson leaves his super sense of humor to Patsy Scopelliti.
Elinor Richardson leaves the typewriters to whoever wants them.
Pat Rist leaves school to join Louis.
Adolph Rocca wills his artistic ability to Theodore Izzi.
Helen Rogers leaves Mr. Donnelly and a certain student of Room 4 without a "problem child."
Dot St. Dennis leaves her way with the men to Betty Seuss.
Mary Saladini leaves her swell pal, Anna Di Nardo, lonesome.
Herbert Sanborn leaves school, if he gets a ride.
Natalie Sawyer bequeaths all of the 16th Infantry to Marion Rugg.
Gladys Senecal leaves her loud laughs to counteract a dull classroom.
Harold Senee leaves to meet the Fitchburg girls.
Percy Senee leaves to chase a certain girl in Room 5.
Russell Shattuck wills his golden locks to Warren Blodgett.
Robert Shorey leaves Mr. Coburn without a reliable office helper.
Louis Simeoni leaves his brains to his sister Mary.
Helen Smith leaves her preference for sailors instead of soldiers to the smart girls.
"Cy" Smith wills his beautiful complexion to one of the many girls who envy it.
Jean Spettigue wills her piano playing to Pat Phillips.
Eva Spring leaves her sports ability to Alice Fluet.
Rita Stacey leaves Mrs. Bucknell in peace and quiet.
Margaret Sullivan leaves her demureness to guess who?
James Sweeney leaves Izzi Solomon without a caddy.
Antonnetta Tata leaves her skillful craft work to the Red Cross.
Stanley Tharler wills his dramatic acting to Eddy Alderman.
Jean Thompson leaves Dexter wishing she weren't leaving.
Bill Thompson leaves Alice, but not for long.
Loring Thurlow leaves to become president of the U. S. A. (Who knows!)
Vincent Tiberio leaves his musical talent and pretty smile to Bob Wesley.
Carl Tibery leaves his ticket selling headaches to Mary Gelep.

Henry Tibery bequeaths his curly hair to Dexter Manzer.
Irene Tourigny wills her oratorical ability to Clarice Gerardin.
Dot Tucker leaves Don Eaton in peace.
Bill Vinal wills a swinging tennis racket to Roger Miller.
Dick Vorse leaves school in tears (oh yeah).
Dot Ward leaves her prop committee to whoever wants it.
Jean Warner leaves her quietness to a noisy student.
Al Weaver leaves school, still hoping that Grace will give him a break.
Elaine Weinbaum leaves her acting ability to Eleanor Fusco.
Muriel Weinbaum leaves for the entertainment world, taking Stanley Tharler along.
Barbara Whitehead gladly leaves her initiative and looks to anyone who merits them.
Esther Wood leaves her helpful manner to the incoming sophomores.
Juanita Woods leaves her height to Alice Moore.
David Wright wills his place back-stage to Bill Harrison.
Marion Zwicker leaves her happy laughs to Betty Spadaro.

Lastly, we make, constitute, and appoint Mr. Henry Fenton to be the executor of this our Last Will and Testament.

This instrument was signed, published, and declared by the said testator, Leominster High School Class of 1942, to be its Last Will and Testament in the presence of us who have subscribed our names hereto as witnesses.

Mary E. Colley

Henry B. Fenton

Dwight S. Davis

Do You Remember When? . . .

Vincent Bilotta jitterbugged with Miss Earl at the Sophomore Party?
You went to your first prom?
Norman Rheault went swimming in Smith's Pond as a sophomore? (The seniors helped him get in.)
Henry Gould gave his incomparable book reviews?
Richard Altobelli told Mr. Rogers that he was mistaken?
Leroy Tibery gave his essay on China and told the class that the Burma road was dug out of the Chinese's fingernails?
We had the first blackout?
Edith Prencipe came in contact with nitric acid?
Bucky had his spring sun tan?
Robert Cormier's plaid jacket was so popular?
Dieco Pignata was interviewed by the key-hole reporter?
Bill Hart dressed up in a sailor suit and led the Glee Club Grand March down the J. H. S. gym?
The football players had their cartoon in the Boston Herald?
The class of '42 had their junior prom and drew the largest crowd?
Hank Gould went to his first prom?
Bunny and Cookie had their little misunderstandings during lunch periods?
Cy Smith got kissed in the second grade by Tootsie?
Mr. Bucknell demonstrated air pressure by bashing in noses?
Mew tickled Stan during chemistry class?
Bill Bonville lost his voice the night before the J. H. S. operetta.
Lavin was head of partols in J. H. S. (The little king.)
Mr. Bucknell first blushed?
Cookie and Rosy harmonized "You Are My Sunshine"?
The boys broke all the beakers in laboratory?

CLASS PROPHECY

One could see no signs of threatening clouds in the sky on this never-to-be-forgotten day of June 17, 1962.

This day was just like the one twenty years ago when we marched solemnly down the aisles to receive our hard earned diplomas. This was a day of days. On this date we had planned to travel to Washington, D. C. where we would meet the other members of our class who had by this time traveled far in their fields of endeavor. Everyone today, though, had agreed to cast aside his respective duties in order to renew old acquaintances and memories.

We assembled at Monument Square, the center and the busiest section of the city of Leominster, where four buses were awaiting their passengers. Greeting the early arrivers was Natalino Cacciotti, head bus driver, not to mention the other drivers, Mario Fini, Armand Prue, and Roger Page, who were all attired in snappy uniforms shown in the latest edition of "Monsieur" magazine. As we looked inside the bus we could see Elio Di Paoli, treasurer of the First National Bank and president of the Leominster Chamber of Commerce, scolding his private secretary, Betty Brown, who was clad in a stunning blue suit, for not having brought her dictation notebook with her, over Betty's protests that this was to be a pleasure trip. Incidentally, Miss Brown's suit was purchased at Nimee's Department Store on 3rd Avenue, where Ruth Nimee, head buyer, selected the attire for Betty. Arlene Desmond and Nancy Green came together, attired in snappy gymnastic outfits. They are running the popular gymnasium for women. We hear that all the girls gather there to streamline their health and beauty.

Lillian Lamoreaux and Florence Pollastri, telephone operators at the local exchange, could be seen walking down Main street approaching the bus. Shortly after, we saw Anne Amorosi, Olga Di Nardo, Grace Curry, Elizabeth McDowell, Lucille Hume, Marie Goodale, Doris Friske, Malvina Piermarini, Agnes Port, Edith Prencipe, Juanita Woods, Ruth Gillis, Flora Gould, Victoria Pagnotta, and Natalie Sawyer, registered nurses of the Leominster Hospital, chaperoned by E. Beverly Buck, head nurse, who achieved great fame for her services rendered during the recent earthquake here. Also displaying great medical talent were Dr. John J. Curley, Jr., and Dr. Richard L. Smith, with medical secretaries Betty Goodwin, Margaret Patten, and Elizabeth Henriques, to say nothing of that famous brain surgeon, Dr. Bruno Di Pace, who came down from New York with his three assistants, Bernice Di Giovanni, Cecelia Flanagan, and Helen Rogers, to perform a very delicate operation on Thomas Kilcoyne, Attorney-at-Law, who was injured during the recent tumble.

We now saw approaching Monument Square Marion Martel, Barbara Lavin, Joan Killelea, Margaret Sullivan, Gladys Senecal, Esther Wood, Jean Thompson, followed by Robert Beauregard, Henry Dunwoody, and Russell Cook, all efficient teachers of Leominster High School, who have replaced those tres intelligentes instructors who have retired from the very hectic life of teaching.

The last group to enter the bus before we departed on this long journey was the Machinists' Organization, consisting of Paul Algier, Norman Basque, Howard Carey, Kenneth Cummings, Alfred McCaffrey, Richard Howard, Raymond Emery, Percy Senee, and John De Libro, with their union president and master-minded mechanic (please note the alliteration) Arthur Pierce.

And so on our way. The travelers waved a cheery good-bye to Lawrence Eaton, who just rang the doorbell at the residence of the former Doris Martin. Larry, a recognized and definitely successful traveling salesman (it couldn't be the technique, could it?) is now affiliated with the "Less Work for Little Woman." His aim is to please—and please he does. He takes his orders from co-managers Louise Chase and Barbara Whitehead, who have proven themselves very successful in that field of business.

Because of the great appetite of John McNaney, honorably discharged from the United States Air Corps, our first stop was made in Sun Valley, Connecticut, where we stopped at a very attractive roadside diner owned and operated by Edward J. Palumbo, who now has a staff of five, namely Mary Ashe, Constance Marini, Joyce Ellis, Ruth Foster, and Bessy Fiffy. Just before leaving, our busses were checked by the "U Break 'Em — We Fix 'Em" Auto Garage Co., operated by Tony Chiurri and Richard Altobelli. Dick draws the crowd by his vocal renditions while wiping the windshields, and we are happy to report that business is just buzzing.

Natalino started the head bus once more and did not stop until we reached New York. Oh, I forgot to mention, Nat was driving too fast on a fifty mile limit, and he got a ticket for speeding from Sergeant Norman Rheault, who was handling the traffic in front of the Palace (Air Conditioned) Theatre where "Today I Am a Woman," a three-bell picture, written by Jean Roberta Spettigue, a well-known figure in the field of literature, is showing. This picture introduces to the screen fads the talented Rhoda Rodney (Elaine R. Weinbaum in real life). Everyone is talking about this movie because it features gowns by La Eisner and coiffeurs by Miss Ann Gizzi.

Our ride was a long one, so someone in the bus turned on the radio, and a voice, a sobbing, sad, melancholy voice was picked up on station FOO. We immediately recognized the voice. It was Robert Cormier's. The announcer, Stanley Tharler, later informed us that Robert Cormier could be heard over this same station three nights a week at the same time. Robert Cormier's program was sponsored by "Wig and Toupee, Inc." and two hours of mysterious and weary entertainment would be presented. From the reports of others we understand that his programs actually make *your* hair stand on end.

We had to shut off the radio for a while because one of the passengers got bus sick. But we had no cause to worry for Dr. Louis Simeoni, practicing physician in Leominster, had the situation well taken care of in a short while.

The ride was long, but no one seemed to mind because we were entertained by Barbara Kingsbury, now a singing teacher, who led the group in singing the tunes we used to sing in '42.

We reached New York soon after with about six hours to kill before plane time. Just enough time to take in a show and dinner.

The theater was crowded when we arrived, but we were shown to our special reserved seats by the manager, Bernard Padonle, himself. The play was none other than "My Heart Is On Fire," written by that now famous playwright, Rosy Di Pillo, and starring none other than our own Charlotte James, who has gone a long way on Broadway since we last saw her.

On our way out to dinner we met Marilyn Brothaim and Thelma MacGillvray, star reporters for the *New York Times*, who joined us for dinner. We approached the "Club 13" just in time to see Dieco Pignatta bouncing out two of his very boisterous customers. Dieco greeted us warm-heartedly and saw to it that we received the best of service. We were entertained by Al Piermarini's nationally known orchestra, featuring Dotty Tucker, blues singer, as a special attraction. During one of the numbers, the band featured Vincent Tiberio, who thrilled the onlookers with his modern and unique "saxophone arrangement" of one of the latest hits. Richard De Carolis (now known as Ricardo De Cortez) displayed his rhythm when he went into his latest dance sensation, the Swan Dance.

Jean Warner, Robert Shorey, and Marie Matthews, all commercial artists for a large advertising concern, came in to say hello just before we left. They expressed their regrets for not being able to come down to Washington with us, but their work prevented them from doing so. Seeing us off at the airport were Jerry Appleton, Dorothy St. Denis, and Marion Zwicker, now head buyers at Mord's, and Saylor's, and Cacy's respectively; George Carchidi, successful lawyer; Eleanor Oldway, chiropodist (foot doctor to you), and Lucille Ouellette, photo painter for the Johnson Studios in New York.

Showing us to our seats was air-hostess Ruth Morse, assisted by co-pilots, Russ Miller and Dewey Cole. Supervising was none other than Cap. John Hankard.

The trip was full of unexpected thrills, for Dewey and Russ couldn't seem to keep awake. Pilot Cole had been up before dawn to milk the cows on his farm and Russ Miller had been guest of a Women's Society where he had been adopted as their "hero of the heavens." (How sweet!)

When we landed in the Washington airport we were very much excited, for the president himself, George Loring Thurlow, and his wife, ??? were in line to greet us. President G. L. Thurlow was attired in a piscatorial ensemble for he was going fishing as soon as he could get away.

Mrs. Thurlow welcomed us in a beautiful black dress, which was designed by Miss Eileen Haley, who incidentally, does all of her clothes. Ruth Palmer is responsible for the various new coiffures which Mrs. Thurlow exhibits, and which all the nation is trying to copy.

The whole group was taken to the White House where guest rooms had been prepared by the maid, Jean McAskill. After we had freshened up we went downstairs for lunch, prepared by the head dieticians, Mary Saladini, Pat Rist and Arlene Hanson, and served by Elinor Richardson, waitress, internationally recognized as the best, having obtained her experience in Buckingham Palace. During lunch we heard an unmistakable sound of children upstairs. Mrs. G. Loring Thurlow Jr. explained that her two naughty children were misbehaving again, and that governess, Evelyn Blanchard, was probably serving deserved punishment on them. After lunch we were introduced to the President's employees. Imagine our surprise when we learned that William Bonville was serving as the president's chauffeur! He explained that this was just a sideline, and that he was really quite a pilot. Lorraine Bonin, secretary to the first lady of the land, was in the next room, typing Mrs. Thurlow's column "My Week."

Theresa Morin, Delvina Casacca, Ruth Cosseboom, Concetta Dandini and Marjorie Carter, all white collar girls, were getting ready for the reunion. They were anticipating talking over old times with Alba Bisceglia, Cecil Bolduc, Gladys Bouvier and Myrtle Brown, former classmates, who had gone far in the business world.

Rev. Vincent Billotta, the faithful Missionary Priest was also a guest at the President's Home, but was unable to stay very long because he was to leave soon to preach to the Boogie Woogie Natives of "Boogie Beat," a newly discovered island. This unknown land had been accidentally discovered by the noted sportsman Frederick Garrity while he was sailing the South Seas.

Late in the afternoon we assembled in one of Washington's largest halls, the decorations of which were planned by Dorothy Ward and Natalie Harrington (flowers donated with the compliments of the Lorne Lagoy Flower Shop.) There we talked over old times with John Ashton, Donald Campbell, Emery Leger, Bob Pickford, David Wright, William Lawler, Dennis Lamy, and Edward O'Neil, who flew down from Pensacola especially to be with us. We were surprised to see William Hart, captain of the Battleship Maine. The news broadcast had reported this ship lost in a storm at sea, but we were confident that Bill would get through, and he did not fail us. With him he brought along Herbert Sanborn and Albert Weaver, radio technicians in the Navy, who, by the way, looked very snappy in the traditional uniforms. Richard Vorse and Kenneth Hitchcock, also sea-lovers, were unable to attend because of a previous date. (A girl in every port!)

Looking over towards the entrance we noticed two handsome looking men attired in the uniforms of the Marines. They were no other than Henry Tibery and Harold Senee.

William Vinal and James Sweeney, engineers, came together and brought along their blueprints, showing the plan of the construction of a Bridge across the Great Lakes. They brought this blueprint along to show it to Russell Shattuck, who, we understand, has great influence in Washington. Russell is planning to enter into politics in the near future because he realizes that he is in great demand as an office holder.

The late arrivals were Doris Collette, secretary to Adolph Rocca, president of U. S. Airlines; Rita Comeau and Kathleen Darcy, who are working for the Governor of Massachusetts, Raymond La Pierre; and Helyn and Martha Dressler, both secretaries to two well known lawyers of New York. Lidio Di Nardo, who now is head stenographer in the Federal Bureau of Investigation, has quite a few helpers who were in the class of '42; namely, Rose Franciose, Beverly Hiltz, Corinne Hiltz, Shirley Johnson, Margaret Mino, Eva Spring, who were all present to take part in the festivities.

Sam Della Chiarre, radio commentator, could now be seen trying to quiet the very boisterous group so that he might begin the program consisting of speakers and musical entertainment. He first introduced Frank De Pasquale, professional basketball player, whose voice began to crack as he talked of the years he spent in Leominster High School, as was the case with Elaine Evans, radio actress. But to brighten things up a bit, Charles Richardson, first trumpeter in the Washington Symphony Orchestra, played "The Glow Worm," accompanied by Muriel Weinbaum, great concert pianist, while Phyllis Gagnon gave us the vocals. Helen Smith, who cancelled an important theater engagement to be with us, favored us by doing one of the many dances which she has popularized. Herbert Peaslee, head coach at Jones College for boys, then gave us a short description comparing sports of 1942 with those of 1962. Carl Leroy Tibery, Professor of Chemical Engineering at the Intelligentia Institution of Technology, gave us quite a lengthy account of Law. He revolutionized and amazed the world by breaking the atoms. Quoting from his speech, "There was nothing to it, friends; there was nothing to it."

After the welcoming speeches had been given, everybody just wandered around, renewing old acquaintances. Pauline Joy, Grace Padovano, Ada Refrigeri, Irene Tourigny, Antonetta Tata, and Rita Stacey, all very efficient stenographers employed by the War Department, were looking over the "men in uniforms." Suddenly shouts of glee were heard as Theresa Malo and Rachel DeLisle, dental hygienists in the great metropolis of Chicago, came in. Irene Cunningham (housewife) and Bernice Chesborough came together. Bernice works in a small town in Ohio, where she is the only hairdresser.

Also arriving late were Leo Kershaw, John Lambert, and William Thompson, very prominent chemical engineers, who were waving cheery hellos to Frank Del Giudice, who is the president of a chain of drug stores scattered throughout the country, and Henry (Bull Moose) Gould, who is a radio technician. (I wonder if he needs History in this job?)

It was getting very late now and everybody was beginning to feel the strain of the journey and the excitement at seeing old friends. So let us leave them, these heppy (pardon me, I mean Happy) people, at this point. All of them, members of the Class of '42 in Leominster High School, have gone far in their chosen fields. They are proud of their accomplishments and of their contributions to society thus far. The teachers of L. H. S. would certainly be pleased to see them on this day, for they would see intelligent, grown-up individuals, and they would be repaid for their trouble and efforts.

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Thursday, The Fourteenth of May

Friday, The Fifteenth of May

Nineteen Hundred and Forty-two

"The World Is With Us"

"The World Is With Us" was first produced as "Altitude 3200" at the Theatre de l'Etoile, Paris, on February 18, 1937. Further productions occurred in major European cities, and last spring the play, in Spanish translation, was staged in Buenos Aires. The present production, the first in English, was made possible through the courtesy of M. Luchaire and his agent, B. W. Huebsch, of The Viking Press, New York City. With the author's personal permission, Mr. Joyce prepared the adaptation from the French especially for the Class of 1942.

The action passes in the entrance hall of Olympus Lodge, a small summer hotel located somewhere in the Cascade Range of the Rocky Mountains. The time is the present.

ACT ONE

Scene One — Late November. Afternoon.
Scene Two — Two o'clock the following afternoon.
Scene Three — A Saturday morning in December.

ACT TWO

Scene One — New Year's Eve.
Scene Two — Early the following morning.
Scene Three — Afternoon several days later.

THE CAST

Greg	Dewey Cole
Prof	Henry Dunwoody
Rex	John Curley
Derek	Donald Campbell
Don	Russell Cook
Paul	Robert Cormier
Stuart	Charles Richardson
Geof	Mario Fini
Randy	Raymond LaPierre
Stefan	Elio DiPaoli
Erica	Ruth Nimee
Martha	Elizabeth Henriques
Liz	Pauline Joy
Sally	Charlotte James
Midge	Barbara Lavin
Marie	Beverly Hiltz
Katherine	Elaine Weinbaum
Luise	Delvina Casacca
Sobsy	Elizabeth Goodwin
Jake	William Thompson
Teresita	Lillian Lamoureux
Euphrosyne	Marion Martel
Clouds	Dieco Pignata
J. T.	George Carchidi
Tootsie	Esther Wood

The Senior High School Orchestra, conducted by Miss Lucile M. Brown, played musical preludes from the works of Weber and Grieg. Music for the original song, "Spirit of Central High," was composed especially for the play by Alphonse Piermarini; words, by John McNaney. Offstage music by the Boys' Glee Club was under Miss Brown's direction. Robert Beauregard was trumpeter.

Assisting Mr. Joyce and the cast backstage during the performances were Miss E. Lillian Ricker, Mrs. Manning W. Morrill, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer J. Bucknell, Miss Blanche M. Jobes, and Miss Gerda Johnson. Daniel Darney advised on the technical aspects of the production. Miss Hilda Hopkinson advised on poster designs. Mrs. Elmer J. Bucknell and Miss Marie Concordia assisted in the preliminary negotiations for rights to the play.

General Manager of the Production	Richard Smith
Faculty Director	John F. Joyce
Student Directors	Constance Bird, Barbara Whitehead
Assistant to the Directors	Louise Chase
Art Director	Natalie Harrington
Stage Manager	Leo Kershaw
Stage Carpenter	Fred Garrity
Assistant Stage Manager	Russell Miller
Property Manager	William Hart
Assistant Property Manager	Loring Thurlow
Hand Property Managers	Anne Amorosi, Marilyn Brotheim, Bernice DiGiovanni
Makeup Managers	Anna Gizzi, Joyce Ellis, Antonetta Tata
Boys' Costume Manager	John McNaney
Girls' Costume Manager	Margaret Patten
Chief Electrician	John Lambert
Assistant Electricians	Henry Gould, Russell Shattuck
Sound Effects Manager	William Vinal
Assistant Sound Effects Manager	Frank DePasquale
Music Managers	Alphonse Piermarini, Robert Beauregard
Ticket Manager	LeRoy Tibery
Manager of School Ticket Campaign	Elaine Evans
Publicity Manager	Thomas Kilcoyne
Assistant Publicity Manager	Ruth Cosseboom
Subscription Managers	Rachel DeLisle, Dorothy St. Denis, Joan Killelea
Assistant Subscription Manager	Shirley Johnson
Chief Usher and Hostess	Ruth Foster
Box Office Attendant	Roger Page

Stage Crew: Vincent Tiberio, Frank DelGuidice, Kenneth Cummings, Albert Weaver, Emery Leger, Lidio DiNardo, Bruno DiPace, Richard DeCarolis, Percy Senee, Norman Rheault, Robert Shorey, John DiLibero, William Bonville, Vincent Bilotta, Francis Sweeney, Edward O'Neil, Arthur Pierce, Robert Pickford, John Hankard, Richard Vorse.

Costume and Makeup Staff: Nancy Green, Elinor Richardson, Corinne Hiltz, Pauline Eisner, Agnes Port.

Business and Ticket Staff: Cecile Bolduc, Myrtle Brown, Marjorie Carter, Harold Senee, Richard Howard, Louis Simeoni, Gladys Senecal, Malvina Piermarini, Elizabeth MacDowell, Arlene Desmond, Patricia Rist, Edith Principe, Lucille Ouellette, Ruth Morse, Howard Carey, Jerolyn Appleton, Richard Altobelli, Henry Tibery, Stanley Tharler, Kathryn Rearden, William Lawler, Irene Cunningham.

Publicity and Poster Staff: Doris Colette, Helen Rogers, Margaret Sullivan, Adolph Rocca, Bernard Padonle, Alfred McCaffrey, Jean McAskill, Lucille Hume, Jean Warner, Ada Refrigeri, Constance Marini.

Ushers: Evelyn Blanchard, Theresa Morin, Jean Thompson, Jean Spettigue, Helen Smith, Natalie Sawyer, Helen Rogers, Ruth Palmer, Victoria Pagnotta, Grace Palovano, Theresa Malo, Eileen Haley, Marie Goodale, Ruth Gillis, Doris Friske, Olga DiNardo, Kathleen Darcy, Beverly Buck, Gladys Bouvier, Lorraine Bonin, Rita Stacey, Doris Martin, Flora Gould, Martha Dressler, Grace Curry, Beatrice Brown, Muriel Weinbaum, Irene Tourigny, Mary Saladini, Eleanor Ordway, Cecilia Flanagan, Concetta Dandini, Arline Hansen, Barbara Kingsbury, Rosetta DiPillo.

Senior Members of the School Orchestra: Charlotte James, Nancy Green, Thelma MacGillvray, Charles Richardson, Alphonse Piermarini, Jean Spettigue, Gladys Senecal.

Graduation Exercises

Overture—"Polonaise Militaire" (*Chopin*) ..... L. H. S. Orchestra

Processional-Class of '42 March (*Alphonse Piermarini*) ..... L. H. S. Orchestra

Invocation ..... Rev. George L. Thurlow

Piano Solo—"Ritual Fire Dance" (*Manuel De Falla*) ..... Muriel Weinbaum

Essay—We Can Take It ..... Jerolyn Appleton

Presentation of Class Gift ..... Robert Cormier, President of the Senior Class

Acceptance for School ..... John Lowe, President of the Junior Class

Trumpet Duet—"Les Freres" (*Moore*) ..... Charles Richardson and Robert Beauregard

Jean Spettigue—Accompanist

Essay—What We Can Do ..... Rosy Di Pillo

Song—"Guard Well Thy Trust, America" (*R. W. Gibb*) ..... Beverly Buck, Peggy Patten, Jean Thompson, Evelyn Blanchard, Nancy Green, Grace Padovano, Charlotte James, Barbara Kingsbury, Ruth Foster, Elaine Weinbaum, Gladys Bouvier, Pauline Eisner, Ruth Cosseboom, Helen Smith, Alba Bisceglia, Thelma McGillvray.

Muriel Weinbaum—Accompanist

Essay—Looking Forward ..... Robert Beauregard,

Class Poem ..... Robert Cormier

Award of Prizes ..... Principal Dwight Shaw Davis

1. Mayo Prizes in Latin.
2. Mayo Prizes in Commercial Subjects.
3. Nixon Prizes in Chemistry.
4. Prizes in French given by "a friend" and the L. H. S. French Club.
5. Prizes in Italian given by the combined Italian Clubs of the city.
6. Class of 1913 Prize for diligent application during the senior year.
7. Class of 1922 and 1929 Prize in Athletics and Scholarship.
8. Class of 1932 Prize in English.
9. Good Citizenship Pilgrimage Medal given by the local D. A. R.
10. Raymond C. Comerford citizenship prize.
11. De Molay Prize for notable achievement in the General Curriculum.
12. Becker Scholarship Key for proficiency in Secretarial Studies.
13. Fortnightly Club Scholarship.
14. Elks' prize for unusual service to the school.

Presentation of Diplomas ..... The Honorable Mathias P. La Pierre, Chairman of the School Committee

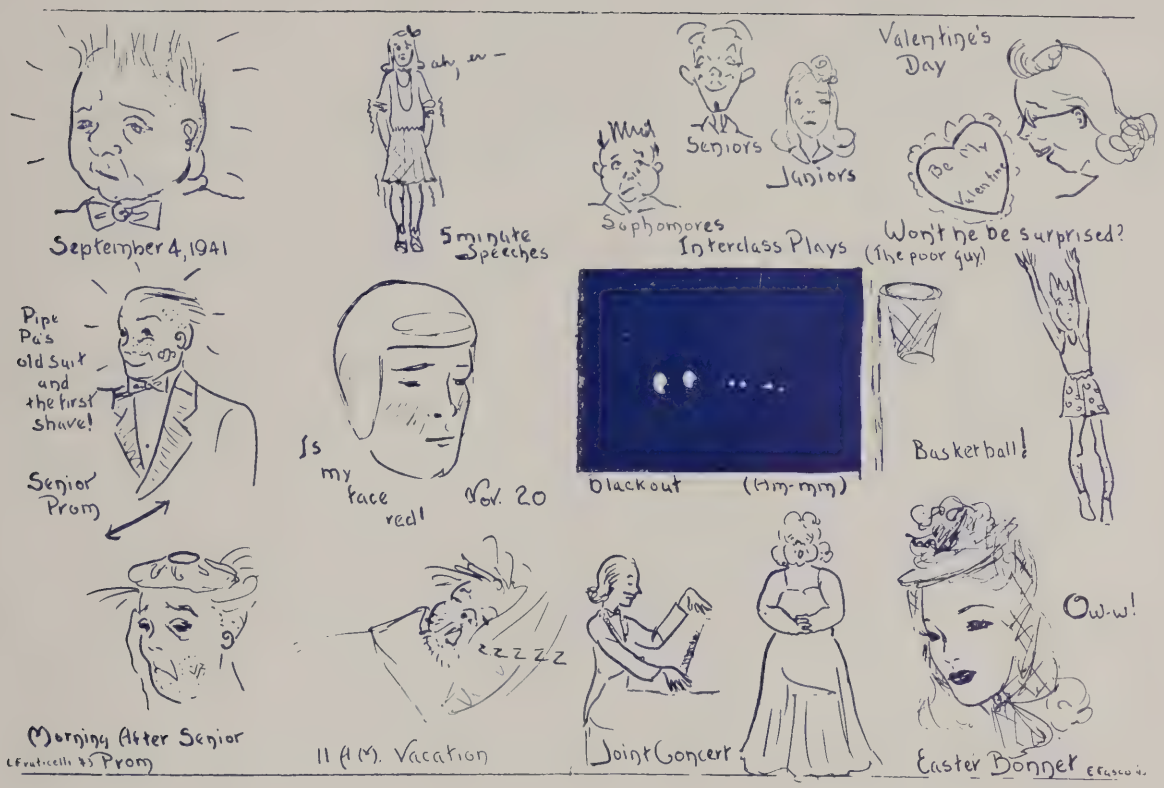
Class Song ..... Class

Words by John McNaney
Music by Alphonse Piermarini

Recessional—"Cornelius Festival March" (*F. Mendelssohn-Bartholdy*) ..... L. H. S. Orchestra

Class Colors ..... Purple and White

Class Motto ..... Truth is Freedom



Social Events 1941-42

Sophomore Party	Sept. 26
Magnet Dance	Oct. 24
Senior Promenade	Nov. 28
Junior Promenade	May 1
Cabinet Dance	May 28
Senior Reception	June 18

THE MAGNET

The *Magnet* staff issued three magazines this year. The sophomores, juniors, and seniors collaborated to put out the magazine at Christmas time. The sophomores and juniors were in charge of the spring issue. Senior members of the staff, as well as other members of the Senior Class, were responsible for this graduation, or yearbook, edition.

In addition to serving the school with a literary magazine, the *Magnet* sponsored an informal dance in October.

Members of the staff studied ways of bettering their school magazine by attending the meetings of the C.M.I.-P.A., which is an organization of literary inclined pupils. Meetings were held in Littleton and Gardner. As a result of their work, the members hope that they gave the school a magazine of which it can well be proud.

The heads of the departments during the past year were as follows:

Editor—Loring Thurlow '42
Assistant Editors—Andrew Carter '43
Clifton Tisdale '43
Business Manager—Leroy Tibery '42
Assistant Business Manager—Delvina Casacca '42
Subscription Manager—Rachel DeLisle '42
Circulation Manager—Georgette DeLisle '43
Advertising Manager—Edward O'Neil '42
Special Features—Barbara Lavin '42
Literary—Rosy DiPillo '42
Photography—Vincent Bilotta '42
Alumni—Robert Roberson '43
Art—Marcia Potter '43
Jokes—Leo Kershaw '42
Athletics—Boys, Donald Campbell '42
Girls, Gwendolyn Gavin '44
Exchanges—Peggy Patten '42

THE PRESS CLUB

The Press Club this year had as members thirty girls. This was the first time in the three years' existence of the Press Club that members were only girls. Mr. Leon Drury Jr., Mr. Henry Fenton, and Mr. John F. Joyce, Jr., were faculty advisors.

Officers for the year were:

Louise Chase, *Editor-in-Chief*
Ruth Cosseboom, *Senior Editor*
Katharine Parcher, *Junior Editor*
Barbara Curley, *Sophomore Editor*

The purpose of the club was two-fold: The members aimed to present to the student body and their parents an up-to-date and accurate resume of the activities of the school, and, by fulfilling this purpose, the school reporters received valuable journalistic experience and knowledge.

The school news appeared in the "Leominster Daily Enterprise" weekly, on Saturday.

Committees were held each Monday during activity period, with two afternoons, Wednesday and Thursday, being set aside as editing afternoons.

The Press Club was an active member of the Central Massachusetts Interscholastic Press Association, and sent delegates to the meetings regularly.

THE STUDENT CABINET

On September 11, 1941, the cabinet had its first meeting of the year. The officers who were elected were: Frederick Garrity, President; Mario Fini, Vice-President; Jean Thompson, Secretary; and John Lowe, Treasurer.

One of the outstanding achievements of this group was their work for defense. They sold defense saving stamps one day a week from January to June.

The student cabinet sponsored the showing of afternoon moving pictures. These pictures were shown twice each month.

The cabinet also sponsored a project to improve order and appearance in the cafeteria.

In January, a group of students went to the Sectional Student Council Meeting in Southbridge with Mr. Davis. The students who went were: Jean Thompson, Doris Bourgoin, Evelyn Gelinas, John Lowe, and William Harrison.

The faculty advisors of the Cabinet are Mr. Davis and Mr. Coburn.

THE FRENCH CLUB

This year was a very active one for the French Club. Supervised by Mrs. Miriam Bucknell, the first meeting was held in the yard of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Green's home.

Officers elected for the year were:

President—Charles Richardson
Vice President—Rachel DeLisle
Secretary—Louise Chase
Treasurer—Barbara Lavin

The second meeting of the club was held at the home of Nancy Green, where the members again enjoyed a weinie roast. Charles Richardson handed in his resignation, because of the fact that he had accepted a position which would require a great deal of his time. Robert Beauregard was elected to take his place.

Pencils with the football schedule printed on them, Christmas cards, stationery, and face tissues were sold by the members this year, and a successful food sale was held at DeLisle's Curtain Shop in November.

Robert Beauregard opened his home to the French Club for a very festive Christmas Party, which was greatly enjoyed.

In February the French Club sponsored the moving picture "The Man Who Came to Dinner." A Valentine party was also enjoyed.

In May the French Club was invited to attend a joint meeting with the French Clubs from Fitchburg, Lunenburg, West Boylston, and Cushing Academy at the Gardner High School. A play, "Le Foyer Trouve," by Miss Chaffee of Gardner and Mrs. Bucknell of Leominster was presented by the Gardner French Club.

Charles Richardson invited the French Club to his home for the final meeting of the year. A special feature was offered the members in the form of French stunts and games. Prizes were given to the winners of the games.

THE INTERNATIONAL CLUB

The officers of the International Club for 1942 were: President, Constance Bird; Vice President, William Lawler; Secretary, Doris Martin; Treasurer, Pauline Triggs. The chairman of the executive committee was Georgette DeLisle, and the other members were Hester Ward and Raymond LaPierre.

The executive committee, whose task was to plan programs for the meetings, arranged some very interesting programs. Some of these were talks by members of the faculty and students of Leominster High School. Mr. Daniel Darney's talk on traveling proved to be worthwhile as well as entertaining. The club also enjoyed talks by two students new to Leominster High School this year, Miss Ada Loyce Smith, and Miss Katherine McCready. Miss Smith's talk on the South and Miss McCready's on California were greatly appreciated by members of the club and their guests. Several business meetings were also held.

On February 4, 1942, the International Club gave a Quiz Assembly which was enjoyed by members of the faculty and student body. Questions were submitted by the students and faculty members. Defense stamps were awarded to students whose questions were used. The Senior class officers came in first, the Junior class officers second, and four Sophomores, chosen by Mr. Rogers, their class advisor, came in last. The timers were: Seniors, Ruth Foster and Theresa Malo; Juniors, Georgette DeLisle and Pauline Triggs; Sophomores, Hester Ward and Agnes Tyler.

THE SPEECH CLUB

Officers:

President—Robert Cormier
Vice-President—Helen Leary
Secretary—George Cruickshank
Treasurer—Leroy Tibery

List of activities conducted by L. H. S. Speech Club during 1942.

Sophomore Party
Radio Play (WORC)
Variety Show
Christmas Play
Interclass Play Contest
Recital Night
Memorial Day Assembly

THE GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

As usual, the orchestra was very active this past school year.

The members of the orchestra appeared on the following occasions: school assemblies, the annual Parents' Night program, Inauguration of the Mayor, Interclass Play Contest, Joint Concert with Fitchburg, Rotary Club, and Senior Play.

The officers of the organization were: Manager, Charles Richardson; Assistant Manager, Alphonse Piermarini; Librarians, Jean Spettigue and Pauline Houle.

THE BOYS' GLEE CLUB

This organization was an enthusiastic one, and one of the best known in school.

Officers:

Warren Cooper—*President*

Charles Richardson—*Vice President*

William Cabana, Warren Pierce—*Librarians*

We of the Glee Club appeared on the following occasions:

1. Thursday "Sing"
2. Parents' Night
3. Joint Concert with Fitchburg
4. Rotary Club

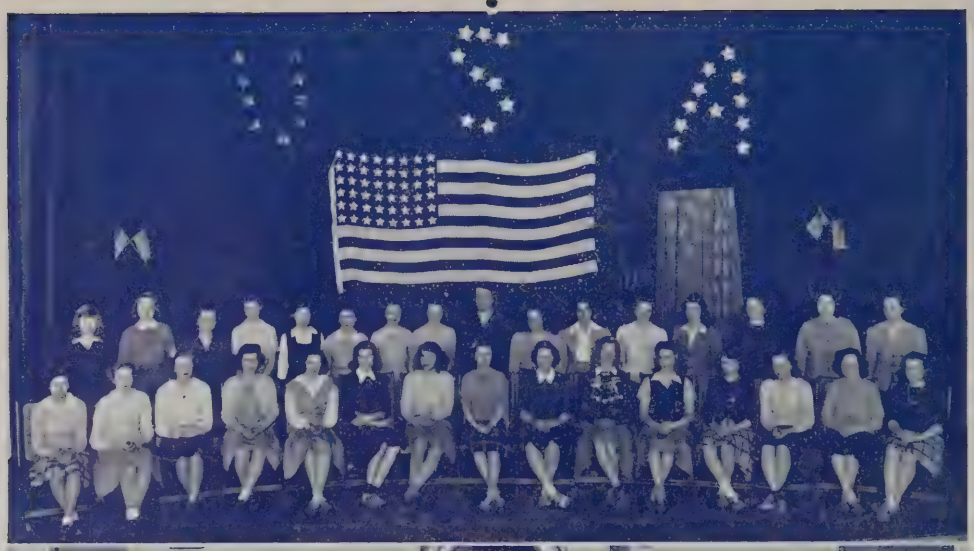
During our Glee Club periods we worked on songs for whatever entertainment we were to furnish. The Glee Club sang songs of various types for enjoyment and variety.

THE CHORAL GROUP

The Choral Club, one of the most active groups in high school, performed at many different events, some of these being Parents' Night, The Mayor's Inauguration, and the Joint Concert with Fitchburg. Also, this year for the first time, the club opened several assemblies with the singing of hymns.

The officers of this organization were as follows: President, Jean Thompson; Vice-President, Robert Beauregard; Secretary, Helen Smith (Sr.); and Librarian, Maydee Scheuneman.

The accompanists were Eleanor Fusco and Jean Spettigue.



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THE GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

President—Beverly Martin
Vice President — Peggy Patten
Secretary — Jean Thompson
Librarian — Maydee Scheuneman
Advisor — Miss Lucille Brown

The club's first public appearance was on Parents' Night. The Glee Club made its first important appearance of the year when it sang at the Mayor's Inauguration. That was the first time the club sang at a mayor's inauguration.

Later, groups of students participated in a broadcast over station WORC.

Other places where the club appeared were: in the "Sing," in assemblies, in the Joint Concert with Fitchburg at Fitchburg, at the Pilgrim Congregational Church, and before the Rotary Club.

Patricia Philips was the accompanist.

THE BAND

Officers:

Co-managers: Robert Beauregard, Charles Richardson
Assistant Managers: Eugene Carrescia, Harold Bassett
Librarians: Russell Cook, Robert Hanson, Edward Ches
Publicity: Esther Wood
Secretary: Joyce Ellis

The band, under the direction of Mr. Sutcliffe, held rehearsals every Wednesday and Friday. These rehearsals enabled the members to become familiar with new pieces, to improve their playing, and learn how to interpret difficult passages. At this time each member conducted the band in one selection.

The band made its appearance at every football game. It furnished music and it put on a performance between the halves.

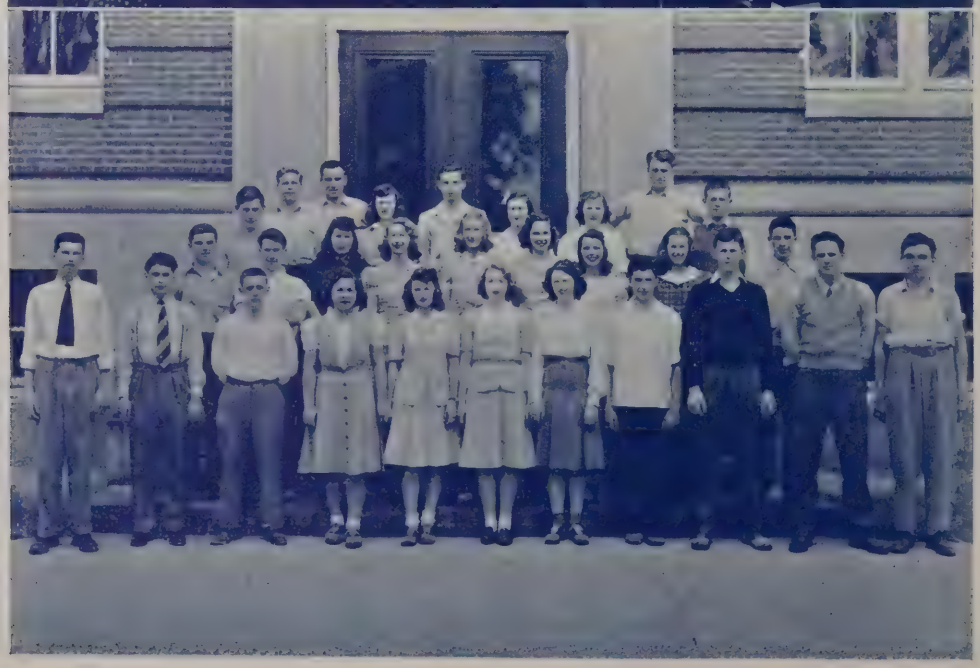
Each spring the band took part in the Annual Fitchburg-Leominster Joint Concert.

THE ART CLUB

President, Jean Warner *Secretary and Treasurer*, Gladys Bouvier

The Art Club painted designs on wooden bowls, forks, spoons, and salt and pepper shakers. They went on an outdoor sketching tour in the fall. The club worked in pastels and also did some soap carving.

The club was given paint from the Commonwealth Plastic Company, so it might learn how to do work in the factories here in Leominster. Then it worked with wood and learned how to use the paint on plastic work. This fine opportunity gave the members training so that they can find work when summer vacation comes and when they graduate.



THE CAMERA CLUB

The Camera Club was a new club in the Leominster High School this year. The members took and criticized pictures of the school and of students. Early in the year a photography contest was sponsored by the club. Various guest speakers appeared during the year. Mr. Everett Donnelly served as faculty advisor of the club.

The officers were as follows:

President: Glen Reynolds
Vice-president: Natalie Harrington
Secretary: Beverly Hiltz

THE BIOLOGY CLUB

The officers of the Biology Club were as follows: President, David Battye; Vice-President, Olga Di Massa; Secretary, Frank Baker; Treasurer, Mary Wyman.

The club, with Miss Burnham as advisor, met in two sections. In the boys' section were Frank Baker, David Battye, Warren Blodget, Eugene Bigney, Michael Coccone, and Eugene Taylor. Some things we did at our meetings were microscope work, looking at slide films on birds and animals, and listening to bird song records.

The girls' section worked chiefly on posture, with discussions on diet and other health topics. The members were Bernice Brion, Dorothy Brooks, Katherine Darcy, Olga Di Massa, Ruth Gillis, Mary Goodale, Dorothy Roffee, Dorothy Ward, and Mary Wyman.

THE SKI CLUB

The ski club held its first meeting on December eighteenth during activities period. However, since so many members belonged to other clubs regularly meeting during that period, the club voted to meet on Thursday nights.

Officers elected at that meeting were William Thompson, president; William Hart, vice-president; Arlene Casey, secretary; and Richard Smith, treasurer. The ways and means committee was made up of Charlotte James, chairman; Barbara Damon, Barbara Whitehead, Thomas Kilcoyne, Ernest Rehor, and Frederick Johnson.

The chief purpose of the club was to spread ski-enthusiasm through the school. Also each member desired to improve his or her skiing ability.

This club planned to arrange ski-meets with other high schools, not as the Leominster High School Ski Team, but as a ski team formed by a group of students attending Leominster High.

The first meet took place on Sunday afternoon, February fifteenth, at the Sheldon Hill tow. The Leominster club competed against groups from Gardner and Arlington High Schools. The Leominster High contestants were victorious, winning their first cup. The winning Leominster team was made up of William Thompson, Russell Hemenway, Fred Garrity, Charlotte James, Barbara Lavin, and Gwendolyn Gavin.

Louie

Some Scenery (?)

Spring Smiles

Well, now

Class fight

Victory?

Our Gang

SPORTS

1941-42

THE FOOTBALL TEAM

The Leominster High School football team again had a successful season under the capable guidance of Mr. Charles Broderick and Mr. Theodore Kucharski. The team won six of its ten games, dropping three close ones and tying one. Despite its losses, Leominster remained in the upper half of the Class A team list, which clearly shows the calibre of its opposition. At the close of the season, Dieco Pignata and William Thompson were elected co-captains.

THE FIELD HOCKEY TEAM

Substitutes for the Sophomores were: Anna DiNardo, Elsie Ostman, Madge Ann Green, Faith Matthews, Gloria Prue, Betty Landers, and Mary Iacaboni.

The Sophomores won the field hockey championship this year. The games were played after school on the high school athletic field. In the final game with the Seniors, the Sophomores won by a score of 6 to 5.

Members of the Sophomore team were: Helen Smith, Gilda Chiumento, Nancy Wright, Gwendolyn Gavin, Caroline Hathaway, Barbara Curley, Kathleen Becrelis, Dorothy Larkin, Barbara Smith, Mary Simeoni, and Alice Moore.

THE BASKETBALL TEAM

The 1942 Leominster High School Basketball Team won six games and lost seven games. After a poor start, the team came through and started coming out on the top side of the score. The team was made up mostly of sophomores and juniors. As the season advanced, they made rapid improvement and won over several teams which had beaten them in earlier games. Louis Cannavino was high scorer for the year with 95 points.

Two of the most exciting games of the season were with St. Bernard's of Fitchburg. Although Leominster lost both games, they had the St. Bernard's team plenty worried. The score for the first game was 36-26, and for the second game, 38-35.

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THE GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM

The girls' interclass basketball tournament was held under the supervision of Miss Gerda Johnson in the gymnasium every Wednesday afternoon during the winter months. The sophomores entered three teams; the juniors, two, and the seniors, one. The senior team, captained by Eva Spring, easily showed its superiority by going undefeated through the season.

The following were the players on the winning senior team: Arlene Desmond, Barbara Lavin, Eva Spring, Pauline Eisner, Peggy Patten, Gladys Senecal, Delvina Casacca, and Betty Goodwin.

THE BASEBALL TEAM

With such players as Dieco Pignata, Jack Curley, Loren Wass, Don Eaton, Roger Caisse, Frank De Pasquale, Elio DiPaoli, and Dick Smith reporting, Coach Broderick conducted another successful season. Two games were played with Templeton, Gardner, Fitchburg, St. Bernard's, and Clinton. One game was played with Townsend.

Due to its greeness, the team did not really get started until the middle of the season. However, it surprised several of its opponents before the close of the year. Several of the best players will be back next season to give Leominster a very good team.

THE TRACK TEAM

The Leominster High track team entered another successful season with Mr. Edward Tellier replacing Mr. Burnham as coach. Mr. Tellier, who had considerable track experience in high school and college, makes an excellent coach. There was a large turnout of last year's stars, including Charles D. Cole running the 440, Leo Kershaw high jumping, Bill Thompson and Russ Miller running the dashes, and Jim Prichard broad jumping.

Many of the Juniors and Sophomores showed great promise. These boys ought to go places under the coaching of Mr. Tellier, and they provide the track teams of the future years.

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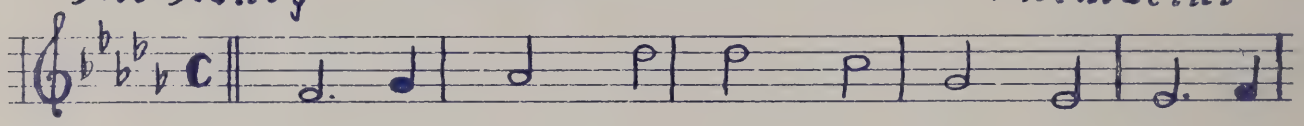
CLASS OF '42

Alphonse Piermarini



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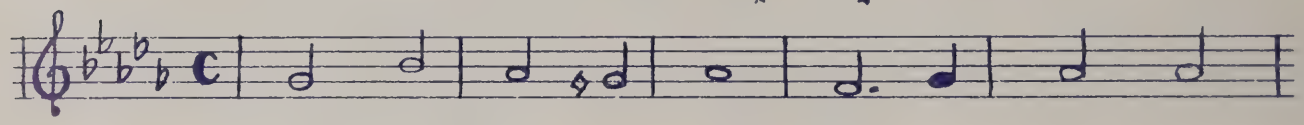

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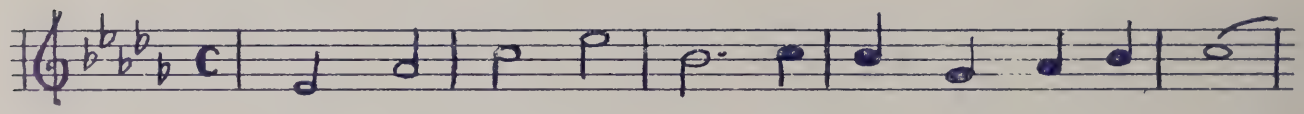

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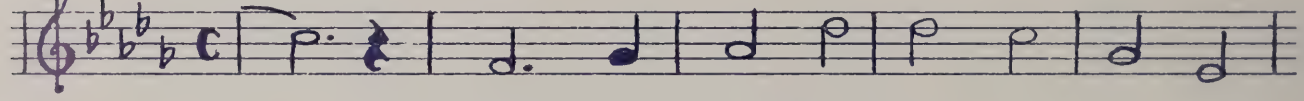

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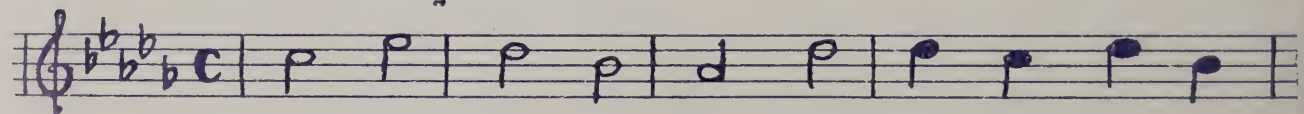

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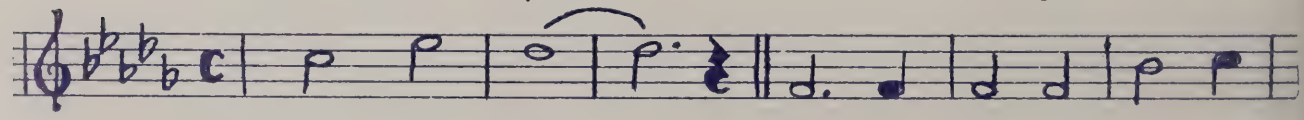

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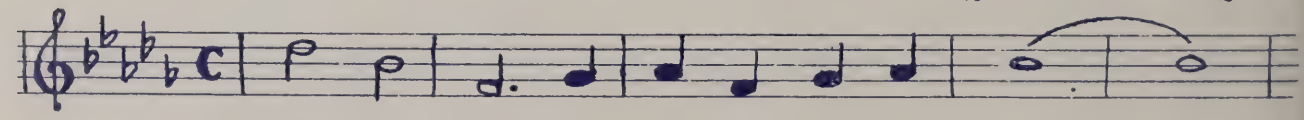

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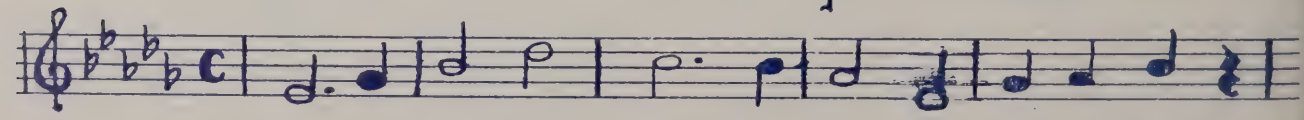
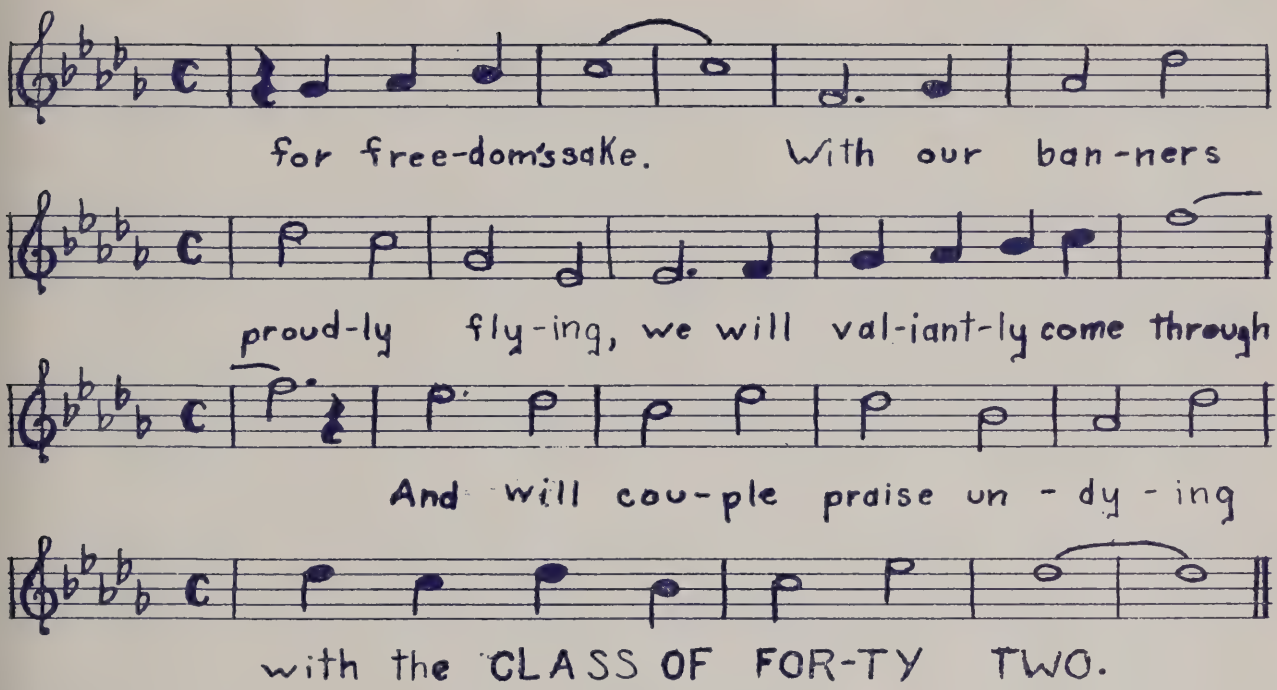


Un-i-ty will quell di-sas-ter. Let us fight



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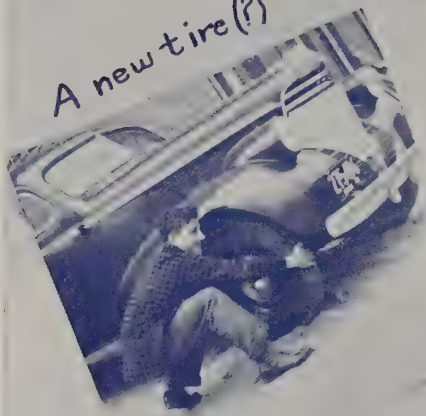
Faithful servant, good friend, loyal citizen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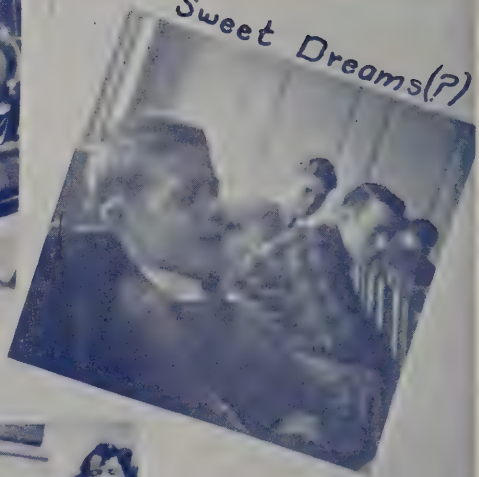
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Ray

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Jean

Spring fever

L.H.S.

Typists

Al Roch

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Lots of luck to a swell kid - Bill [illegible] "43"

One of my very swell buddies - Love Bev. "43"

To a sweet kid Mary Purmarine

Best of luck - Loren Wass

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